

BIG TEST FOR NEWMARKET REDMEN COMES TONIGHT ON HOME ICE



Dillman should receive good protection tonight here against Markham sharpshooters with Capt. Gordie Bone (right), Duke Dennis (left) and Cliff Gunn on the blue-line. Fred Dillman and his three defencemen are all home-town boys. The Markham lads are undefeated in seven league games, with a record of a total of 59 points scored and 19 against speaking for itself.

Photos by Budd Studio

Joke Not On You, Mr. Cane Those Juniors Won 9 To 3

Mr. Hebb,
Editor, Newmarket Era,
Newmarket, Ont.

Dear Mr. Hebb:

Yesterday The Era came in and I was immediately struck by the illustrations on the front page of the three of the Junior forward line, and notification that they would be seen tonight at the arena, meaning last night, in my opinion, so that as I was always interested in Newmarket and am yet particularly because the Newmarket team was playing against an out-of-the-county team, Beaverton, and the boys practically all home brews—I thought it might be more or less an encouragement to them to know that somebody not at home was thinking of them favorably. I consequently wired Jos. Spilletto, wishing himself and team all luck in the game.

While I was at the North York Veterans' banquet to the warden last night, and was close on excusing myself from the banquet to telephone Spilletto to find out how the team made out, and then this morning looking in the paper for the results of the game, I spoke to Bill, who would also be interested in the results of the game, and he reminded me that The Era was published on Thursday and that "tonight" in their heading probably meant Thursday night—so that the game would already have been played and won or lost when I read the notice of it in the paper. It now looks as if the joke was on me, but you see how much faith I put in the local paper.

With best regards to you,

Yours sincerely,
W. H. S. Cane

Sheriff, County of York,
Toronto, Jan. 27, 1940.

COUNCIL TURNS DOWN OPTION TO BUY DUMP

MAYOR BELIEVES M.O.H.
SHOULD BE COMMANDED
FOR WORK

ACTION PROMISED

An option to purchase a Huron St. property for \$1,400, supported by a \$100 deposit, for use as a site for garbage disposal, was turned down by the town council on Thursday evening.

Dr. J. H. Wesley, M. O. H., expressed surprise at the council's action, but said that whatever the council wished to do would be satisfactory to him. He attributed the council's attitude "to the eloquence of the deputy-receiver."

Mayor Dr. S. J. Boyd said that it had been good business on the part of the board of health to take an option on the property before the purpose for which it was wanted became known and a "fictitious value" was placed upon it.

The meeting concluded with a declaration from Councillor D. O. Mungovan that the garbage problem was not settled and that the property committee was going to "do something" about it. "An incinerator is the only way," he said.

Councillor A. D. Evans laughed at Mr. Mungovan's declaration that the committee would "do something," and Mr. Mungovan blamed the "lethargy" of Mr. Evans and other members of the council for failure to do something in the past.

"You are going to have objections wherever you put it," Mayor Boyd said early in the discussion.

"What I want discussed is whether we can build an incinerator that will not give off any smell," said Dr. Wesley. "You can't prevent smoke any more than you can prevent C.N.R. locomotives going through town."

"We have to follow the request of the federal government and the example of the provincial government, which plans to cut expenditures by 15 per cent, and avoid capital expenditures if we can," said Dr. Boyd. "We have used the present dump for 12 years. I would advise carrying on at the present dump, disposing of the garbage as carefully as we can, for the duration of the war."

"The dump has done no harm to anyone. No one has died as a result of having it there."

"There have been no fires from spontaneous combustion at the dump since the present supervisor started six months ago," said Reeve F. A. Lundy. "I favor going on as at present until we have time to see what other municipalities are doing and get a place that will please everybody—though I don't think that that's possible."

Councillor Wm. Dixon said that he had left plans with Councillor A. V. Higginson, his successor as chairman of the property committee, for an incinerator which would cost \$2,700.

"You could build one that would be satisfactory with a 60-foot stack, for \$1,500," said Dr. Wesley.

"We didn't buy the Huron St. property," said Dr. Boyd later in the discussion. "We took a business-like procedure."

"It was not business-like," said Mr. Mungovan.

"The property is not worth \$1,400," said Councillor Frank Bowser. "It will stay there for 100 years before they get \$1,000 for it."

"If there is any blame I will take it," said Dr. Wesley. "I still feel that it is the ideal place for a dump for the next 100 years. The board of health voted unanimously to take the option to buy it for \$1,400. I put up my own cheque for \$100, thinking that you would jump at it."

"The reason that that five-acre lot is assessed for \$450 is that all farm property in town was reduced in assessment some years ago."

"If you decide to keep the present dump, I'll abide by your judgment."

Councillor A. V. Higginson said that there would be trouble with too much water at the proposed Connaught Gardens site for a dump.

Loose Defence Work Lets Richmonds Tie Snappy Junior C's

REDS ARE OUT IN FRONT
EARLY BUT WEAKEN
A BIT

GAME IS ROUGH

By RALPH M. ADAMS

In a game that developed the latest fashions in the cut and slash styles for the winter season, the Richmond Hill squad and the local Redmen played a ten-minute overtime 3-3 tie at the Hill on Tuesday evening.

The local Reds jumped to the front early in the first period on two late goals, while the Hill aggregation came right back in the second canto to tie the score in handy fashion. Both got one in the third. Most of the game was a monotony of close checking, although both teams had plenty of chances to score.

Reds Jump the Gun

For the first five minutes of the first period the play was fairly even with both teams coming close on several efforts. Then Barrow got the gate for mixing it around the Hill net and the Newmarket gang put the pressure on, but the Hill gang heaved the rubber down the ice until he returned.

Twice in a row Patton pulled two nice saves, with the entire Red outfit in on top of him. With the period three-quarters shot, Jack Gibbon fired the first goal home, picking up a loose puck from a scramble in front of the net.

Just before the period ended Bill Jelley added the last marker of the period for the Redmen after Hamilton and Luck had set him up on the play. Before the going, Gardiner beat the Hill forwards when they were in on the net.

Hilliers Tie Count

The Hilliers opened the second with a rush and they weren't fooling, Taylor scoring on the next play from Mabley. Less than five minutes later Brockbank fired the tying counter through a maze of players, and Gardiner never had a chance in the world on the play.

Patton pulled a nice save on the Gibbon line when he jumped in the air to slap down on the ice just in time to block the puck. Just before the period expired Hamilton was out-lucked in the goal mouth, Patton beating him right at the last moment.

Hardly had the third canto got under way when Stan Gibbons broke the tie on a perfect combination play with Jack Gibbon and Duke Dennis. Stan Gibbons had the misfortune to leave Barrow under the chin with his shoulder and the Hill defence man had to be carried off. It was a genuine accident.

Newmarket had a fine chance to add another to their total when Luck and Jelley broke away but Luck forgot that there was another man along to help, so he kept the chocolate bar to himself. At about the 15-minute mark the Hilliers tied the count when Beresford let a shot go through a maze of players to beat Gardiner.

In the overtime both teams had plenty of chances to score but Patton and Gardiner were too good for their respective teams. Thus both teams were and had to be content to split the points. Richmond Hill: goal, Patton; defence, Stewart and Beresford; centre, Brown; wings, Mabley and Taylor; alts., Brockbank, Stevens, Mills, O'Rourke and Barrow.

Newmarket: goal, Gardiner; defence, Melnis and Gunn; centre, Jack Gibbon; wings, Stan, Gibbons and Dennis; alts., Hamilton, Jelley, Luck, Barker and Bulmer.

Referee: Jack Bennett, Toronto.

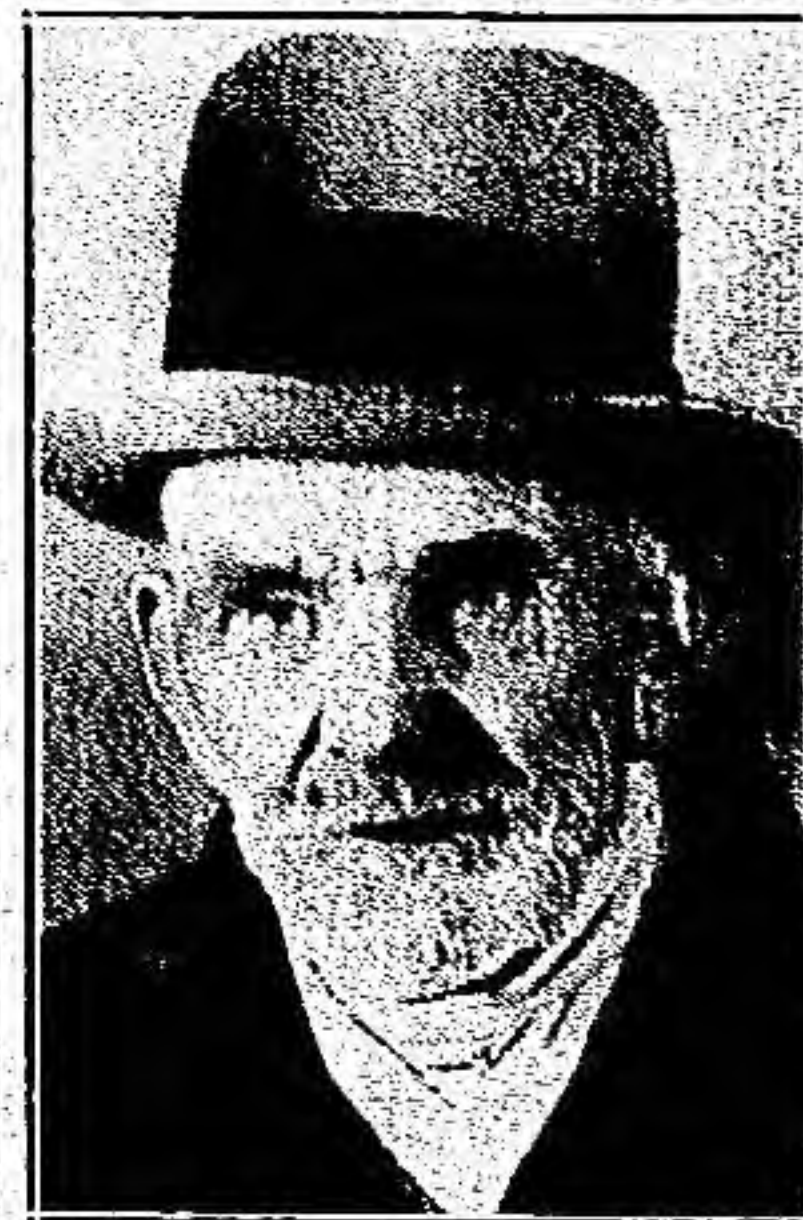
BADMINTON CLUB LOSES TO KINGSDALE

The Newmarket badminton club journeyed to Kingsdale, just south of Willowdale, last night, and lost a hard-fought tournament by two points. It was not until the last two games that it was evident who was going to win, lose or tie the tournament. A Marshall and G. Phinister did well against stiff competition by losing one and winning one game.

The next tournament will be in Thornhill on Feb. 13.

GARDENERS MEET

The annual meeting of the Newmarket Horticultural Society will take place in the United church school-room on Monday, Feb. 10. The speaker will be "Dick, the Amateur Gardener."



IS 97 YEARS OLD

Philip John Smith, Raglan Ave., one of Newmarket's oldest citizens, celebrated his 97th birthday on Dec. 29. Photo by Budd Studio.



TAUGHT AT SHARON

Not very many years ago a teacher in a small country school at Sharon, H. H. Hannam, secretary of the United Farmers Co-operative Co. and the United Farmers of Ontario, has been elected president of the Canadian Chamber of Agriculture, meeting at Ottawa.

JERSEY HERD WILL BE SOLD TOMORROW

The splendid herd of Jersey cattle at Belle Ayre farm, Huron St., goes on the block tomorrow, in a big double sale of stock and implements, with two auctioneers officiating, L. E. Franklin, Toronto, and F. N. Smith, Newmarket.

The sale is necessitated by the enlistment of Wilford Duffy, proprietor, in the air force. Mr. Duffy served with the Imperial



WILFORD DUFFY

army during the last war as an aviation instructor and has been commended in the same or similar capacity for his war.

His family will continue to live at the farm and Mr. Duffy expects to be home frequently.

"ORIGINAL AND PRACTICAL IDEA" WINS \$25 PRIZE

In a competition sponsored by the Industrial Accident Prevention Association of Ontario, W. J. Hopkinson of Newmarket won first prize of \$25.

PRETTY MILITARY WEDDING INCLUDES DRIVE IN GRANDFATHER'S CUTTER

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday of last week, in Christ church, Roche's Point, which was decorated with evergreens and bride's ribbon for the occasion.

Rev. A. J. Forte officiated and Mr. Kenneth Morton was at the organ, when Miss Muriel Christina Sherman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, Roche's Point, became the bride of Corporal Victor A. Brydges of Newmarket, now of B. Co. tank regt., Oshawa, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Brydges of Bury, St. Edmunds, England.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white tulle gown, white lapin coat, and silver Juliet cap, and carried a white prayer book with streamers and sweetheart roses.

Miss Joyce Sherman was her sister's bridesmaid, gowned in queen's blue sheer, small felt hat, and carried an old-fashioned nosegay.

Little Arlean Carley was a very

sweet little flower girl in rose pink tulle and carried an old-fashioned nosegay. Pte. Dudley Carley, B. Co. tank regt., of Oshawa, was groomsmen.

As the bride and groom left the church, a guard of honor was formed by members of B. Company, and the first Old Guide Company of Roche's Point, with their captain, Mrs. A. J. Forte, of which the bride is lieutenant. They were then seated in a cutter, which had belonged to the bride's grandfather about 40 years ago. B. Company then drew them to the bride's home, where a reception followed. Mrs. Sherman wore black flowered sheer, with black hat and corsage of red roses.

Immediately after the reception the happy couple left for a short wedding trip by motor, amid showers of confetti and good wishes.

JUNIOR LEAGUE STANDING as of Jan. 31

Club	Won	Tied	Lost	Points
Markham	7	0	0	14
Newmkt.	4	2	1	10
Sutton	3	4	0	10
Rich. Hill	1	5	1	20
Beavrin.	1	5	0	24

Games Yet To Play

Thursday, Feb. 1, Markham at Newmarket; Beaverton at Sutton. Note that Beaverton can push Richmond Hill out of the group play-off by winning in Sutton on Thursday and tying or beating Richmond Hill in the postponed game.

RABBI WILL DISCUSS PEACE TERMS, HOPES

The fourth of the Pickering College extension service community forums will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, with Rabbi Maurice Elendroth as the speaker.

His subject will be "War Objectives—Discussion of War Aims and Peace Plans."

LIGHT ENGINEER ATTENDS BANQUET

C. C. Rachar, town electrical engineer, attended the annual meeting and banquet of the Association of Professional Engineers of Ontario in Toronto Saturday afternoon and evening.

Dr. R. C. Wallace, principal of Queen's University, Kingston, was the guest speaker, with the subject, "The Engineer, in Education and in Life." Lieutenant-Governor Albert Matthews was among the guests.

TRINITY STEWARDS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Officers of the committee of stewards of Trinity United church were elected as follows on Monday evening: chairman, L. P. Cane; vice-chairman, Harvey McCordick; secretary, Harold McClelland; treasurer, Allan Mills; envelope steward, Dr. C. S. Gilbert.

COLD HITS TOWN

The thermometer sank to 14 below on Tuesday morning. Some people reported the temperature as low as 20 below over the weekend.

IS ILL

Billy Gilroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gilroy, is in the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, suffering from a mastoid condition.

TANNERS, TOWN BEAT SPECIALTY AND R.S.A. BOYS

MERCANTILE DOUBLE-HEAD-
ER IS FAST-MOVING
CONTEST

PLAY AGAIN TUESDAY

By GEORGE HASKETT, Jr.

Last Tuesday evening's mercantile league games saw the Davis Leather hooking up with the Office Specialty in the opener. The Tanners emerged from the fray with a 3-1 victory under their belts. The Town nosed out the R. S. A. Bugle Band 5-4 in the nightcap game.

The opening battle proved a very fast, exciting game, with the Tanners holding a slight edge over their yearly rivals, the Specialty gang. The Tanners grabbed a two-goal lead, in the opening stanza, P. Townsley taking Sonny Townsley's pass for the first, while "Sonny" notched the second, on a pass out from P. Townsley.

The Specialty got their only goal half-way through the second, Bennett beating Smith, in the Davis nets, when O'Halloran slipped over a pass to him. About two minutes later, the Tanners notched their third and final counter, when Wrightman, who was in front of the Specialty citadel, deflected B. Groves' shot past Kaus.

The final period saw the Tanners lay down a close checking barrage, to hold the cabinet makers off the score sheet. The greenshirts played heads up hockey but many of their attacks ended up at the Tannery defence.

For the winners, the Townsley brothers, "Sonny" and "Penny," were tops, with "Penny" doing some great checking at the Specialty blue line. The Tanners strengthened up their rear-guard with the addition of Joe Peat, who along with Ross Smart were hard to beat. "Mickey" Smith in goal was called on to make many hard stops and played well between the posts.

For the losers, Bennett was best out closely followed by Hughes and Brammer on the front lines. Stan Evans and Woodcock played a steady game on the defence, while Kaus in goal turned in a very creditable performance.

Line-up: Davis Leather: goal, Smith; defence, Smart, Peat; centre, B. Groves; wings, W. Groves, Wrightman; alternates, Stickwood, S. Townsley, P. Townsley, B. Townsley, Mitchell. Office Specialty: goal, Kaus; defence, Barker, Woodcock; centre, Hughes; wings, Walter, Brammer; alternates, S. Evans, A. Evans, Bennett, Crowder, O'Halloran.

The second contest saw the Town team overcome a 3-0 lead, which the Bugle Band had picked up during the first period and the early part of the second. The Buglers' scores came from the sticks of Howard Brown, in the first, and Burke and Dobie in the second. About the three-quarter mark of the second period saw the Towners knot the count at three-all, on three goals, in quick order, with Neufeld, Boyd and Hartford getting these, with assists going to Hartford and Neufeld.

The Towners took over the lead, for the first time in the (Page 4, Col. 3)

HEAP GOOD DOG TEAM BRINGS "GERRY" WAINMAN OUT OF COLD, COLD NORTH

Travelling by dog-sleigh and by horse and cutter, C. G. Wainman, Newmarket jeweller and optometrist, has had another successful sales trip to the timber camps of northern Ontario from Chapleau to White River. Mr. Wainman returned on Tuesday.

This was Mr. Wainman's 20th annual trip. He found the camps all busy and prosperous. In White River this year, which has a record low temperature of 70 degrees below zero, the thermometer has sunk to only 52 below zero so far this year.

A team of four dogs would make about four miles an hour pulling a sled loaded with a trunk and grips, himself and the Indian driver, Mr. Wainman said.

"Good team," grunted the Indian.

"Good driver," replied Mr. Wainman.

And everybody was happy.

WIFE OF DAIRYMAN DIES, MOTHER OF 9

Resident in Newmarket for the last 13 years, Mrs. Edgar P. Williamson died at her home, 85 Queen St., on Tuesday in her 60th year.

She had been suffering from a heart ailment for two or three years and was confined to her bed for the last two months.

Hannah L. Steckley was born at Bethesda, in Whitchurch township, the daughter of Susannah Watson and Samuel Steckley. She went to school and was brought up in Whitchurch, marrying Edgar P. Williamson in June, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson farmed for many years at Roblin, Manitoba, where all except one of nine children were born. They came to Newmarket 13 years ago, entering the dairy business here. Home and family were her chief interests.

Surviving are her husband; two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Fred Hoover (Laura), Newmarket, Mrs. Lewis Enge (Lena), Queensville, Walter Steckley, Vandonr, Fred Steckley, Wilberforce, Ont.; eight children, Howard, Frank, Agnes, Una (Mrs. Lyle Bond), Edgar, Ruth, Margaret and Mary, all of Newmarket; and two grandchildren, children of Howard. One child, Norman, died in infancy. One brother, William and one sister, Margaret, are dead.

Rev. Dr. D. McIntyre conducted the funeral service this afternoon, with interment in Newmarket cemetery. Pallbearers were three sons, Howard, Frank and Edgar, and three nephews, Bruce Williamson, Ravenshoe, Wilfred Williamson, Maple, and Charles Williamson, Vandonr.

PLAN BANQUET

The Scouts and Cubs of the 2nd Newmarket troop are planning a father and son banquet on Wednesday, Feb. 28.

IS FALSE ALARM

A fire alarm early this afternoon called the firemen to Dorland's casket factory, Huron St. A fire in the boiler-room was out before the firemen arrived.

CUBS FACE TESTS

At the meeting this Friday all Cubs are to bring their books and be ready to pass their tests. There will be hockey again Saturday if cold weather permits.

NEWMARKET BADMINTON CLUB DEFEATS THORNHILL

Newmarket badminton players were hosts to the Thornhill badminton club last Wednesday evening, Jan. 24, Newmarket winning 11-2.

M.O.H. WEDS, SECRET KEPT FOR MONTH

Dr. J. H. Wesley, Newmarket's M.O.H., and Miss Jean A. Riddell, his former nurse and x-ray technician, were married on Dec. 28, 1939, in Brampton, by Rev. T. W. F. G. Andrews.

Dr. Wesley disclosed this carefully guarded secret last evening just prior to their departure on a wedding trip to the United States.

Dr. H. A. Snell is looking after Dr. Wesley's practice during his absence.

YOUNG MERCHANT SUDDENLY STRICKEN

Samuel Kates, Newmarket merchant, died early Friday morning in Toronto from a brain hemorrhage in his 38th year.

He was a visitor at the home of his brother-in-law in the city and was all right at 10:30 p.m. He had been in the city on business during the day. Leaving his brother-in-law's, he was driving his car in the city when he felt ill and went to the home of his mother. He was taken to Toronto General hospital at midnight and died a few hours later.

The funeral took place on Sunday.

There survive his wife and three daughters, George, Estelle and a year-and-a-half-old baby, Carol.

The family had lived in Newmarket ten years altogether.

SCOUTS SET DATE FOR BANQUET

The Scout and Cub father and son banquet will be held on Wednesday evening, Feb. 28. This is now definite. This banquet was originally planned for December of last year, but owing to the busy season it was postponed to February. Once again the date had to be changed, but it is definite now for Feb. 28, in the intermediate room of the United church. Nearly one hundred are expected.

VETERANS CHANGE MEETING NIGHTS TO THURSDAYS

The veterans have been requested by the management of the R. S. A. Bugle band to change the date of meeting, which was carried at the last monthly meeting, Jan. 28.

In future, the meeting will be held on the last Thursday of each month, starting with Feb. 29.

The veterans' association is going to put on a cumber, periodically, in the near future, the funds of which will be used for their "overseas comfort fund" for boys from Newmarket.

OUT TO THE GREENS

Mrs. I. feel certain of winning the women's golf tournament this week.

Mr. Well, dear, more par to you.

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MERCHANT PROBLEMS

There have been a series of discussions in recent weeks concerning the severe competition experienced by the merchants of northern York county. These discussions, held in Newmarket and Aurora, began with a proposal to collect more taxes from the Newmarket order offices of two Toronto department stores. The statement was made that they did an enormous volume of business but occupied only comparatively small floor space, and therefore in paying rent they did not pay a reasonable share of the municipality's taxes. The suggestion was made that they should be taxed on their turn-over.

A Reasonable Proposal

It seemed to us that this proposal was at least arguable. It was not possible, or even desirable, to stop these firms doing business in Newmarket and Aurora, but it was reasonable to ask them to make a larger contribution to the cost of maintaining the pavements, lights, police and other services in these centres in which they were doing such a heavy share of business.

A Horse of a Different Color

Then there began to come into the discussions the suggestion that the chain grocery stores too should be similarly taxed on turn-over. It could not be said that these stores did not rent floor space to display all their goods, and that they were therefore not paying their full share of taxes, but some of those taking part in the discussions insisted on including more taxes from the chain grocery stores among their objectives. In our opinion, such a widening of the original objective dooms the whole effort to certain failure. The former case was arguable, but we do not believe that the municipalities can fairly ask for more taxes from the chain grocery stores.

Up To Public

The answer to chain grocery stores is alert merchants giving good values and good service, and everywhere there are independent grocers successfully giving that answer. Independent grocers have their difficulties, but so too, it must be remembered, do chain grocery stores. Unfortunately but naturally, the chain grocery store is less interested in the community than the independent merchant who lives in the municipality, but times change and we have to accept those changes. Whether the chain grocery stores will survive remains with the buying public to decide.

Not Particularly Biased

Now let us say in conclusion that we do not make these remarks because one of three Newmarket chain grocery stores happens to be advertising in The Era. This newspaper would probably get a greater volume of advertising if there were no chain grocery stores in Newmarket at all, but that does not mean that we will not give our advice against what we regard as an ill-advised attempt to impose unfair taxation on these stores.

FESTIVAL APPROACHES

Preparations are now in full swing for the York music festival at Aurora. Newmarket people have no reason to feel envious that this very successful event takes place in Aurora. Rather we should be glad that our enterprising neighbors are doing so much to stimulate interest in music in the county. The town of Newmarket would not be extravagant if it should again this year give a \$25 prize to encourage someone to pursue further studies in music. The prize could be limited to Newmarket participants but need not necessarily be so.

Widen the Benefits

We have a suggestion for the directors of the festival. Last year they found it necessary to run simultaneous classes in the Aurora United church and in the Aurora high school auditorium. Why not arrange some of those simultaneous classes to be held in Newmarket, for the convenience of northern participants and to enable a greater number of people to enjoy the festival? The Durham county festival is held in alternate years in Port Hope and Bowmanville. The Peel county festival is held alternately in Brampton and Port Credit. We think it would be a nice idea to spread the York festival out, leaving Aurora as the principal centre, as the originator of the idea, but holding at least some of the classes in Newmarket and Richmond Hill. There were some school classes held in the Aurora high school last year in which only Newmarket school children had entered. It would have been more convenient to have held those classes in Newmarket. In any event, all luck to the festival.

WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING

Here is what the Canadian Statesman at Bowmanville says of efforts in that town to

organize a chamber of commerce: "Midland is a town a little larger than Bowmanville yet its chamber of commerce spent over \$7,000 on tourist and industrial promotion last year and were well satisfied with the returns. Such a report makes Bowmanville look like a piker when its C. of C. members get an attack of the jitters if somebody suggested the membership fee be \$2. Too many hope for prosperity on the policy of 'somethin' for nothin'."

WE HOLD A BAG

Mr. Mackenzie King has left a lot of people holding a bag, and it will be interesting to see what they put in it. Take The Newmarket Era for instance. The Era has on several recent occasions suggested that criticism of the King government's war effort was unwarranted, and has defended the federal administration's record since the war began. Then Mr. King, whom we had been upholding as a statesman, descends to what might be described as a display of childish temper or an attempt to "pull a fast one" politically. He dissolves parliament after it has been in session for four hours. He puts members of parliament to the trouble and the people to the expense of having them travel from all parts of Canada, announces that he has kept his promise that there would be no election until parliament had met again, and then he sends the children home. He doesn't even give them time to cite their troubles or to ask him questions about all the work he has been doing or he doesn't give them a quarterly statement on how the war in Europe is going (Mr. Chamberlain gives a weekly statement). He just says that Col. Drew and Mr. Hepburn have forced him to hold an election immediately, and he can't have it "too quick."

Other People Holding Bigger Bags

Some other people are going to be even more embarrassed about the bag they are holding. We are not talking about party newspapers, for they can easily justify Mr. King's precipitate action, but we think of a weekly newspaper with honest-to-goodness opinions like the Fort Erie Times-Review. What will the Times-Review put into its bag? That newspaper appeared last Thursday with an editorial entitled "Parliament Meets Today."

"Not Too Soon"

We feel very sympathetic with the Times-Review because we would have published the same editorial last week if our fairy godmother had written it for us and had our fairy godfather hand it to us early in the week (no late copy please!). The article runs something like this: "The federal parliament begins its sessions . . . not too soon . . . But whatever harm may have been done to the cause of democracy by the mistaken zeal of bureaucrats and vote-proud politicians, who seem to think they can win this war against dictatorship by borrowing ideas from it, Canadians still retain the fundamental of democracy in a parliament where every member is free to criticize the government."

"We have never questioned the soundness of Prime Minister Mackenzie King's philosophy of government, and after he has disposed of the Hepburn-Drew charges of errors of omission—which, we haven't the slightest doubt, he can do very ably—we are sure he will permit the members full opportunity for debate about the wisdom of some of the things his government has done."

Pleased Parliament "Is" In Session

After citing some of the things that the public is wondering about, including censorship methods and "why the government should be so proud of the fact that its war loan was over-subscribed," when a lot of idle money was switched from 1½ to 3¼ per cent investment, the Times-Review concludes: "Yes, all in all, we believe it is good that Canada's war-time parliament should again be in session."

MASS BUYING

A strange situation exists in Smiths Falls, where milk has been increased in price from five to six cents a pint, but remains at ten cents a quart. The increase in the price of the pint was made with the permission of the Ontario Milk Control Board. In Newmarket milk sells for six cents a pint and 11 cents a quart.

IS IT TRUE, WHAT WE HEAR?

New legislation, we understand, provides that the same person may not serve on a coroner's jury twice within a period of one year. This may prove inconvenient when inquests are held at such places as Bellhaven, Sharon, Vondorf, where township halls are situated. It will be necessary to go far afield for jurymen if there should be two inquests at any one of these places within a period of a year, and we suppose that someone will have to pay mileage for the jurymen. The writer thinks that the jury was practically the same for the last two inquests which he attended at Sharon, and even then it was necessary to go out of the hamlet to complete the jury.

SHADES OF AMBROSE SMALL!

The inquest into the death of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bell at Wasaga Beach last fall cost the county of Simcoe \$300. Naturally, Simcoe county doesn't like it. Mrs. Bell was a sister of Ambrose Small, the Toronto theatre magnate who disappeared mysteriously many years ago. A sister of Mrs. Bell and Mr. Small couldn't believe that Mrs. Bell's death was an accident and we believe that it was she who insisted on an inquest. A two-day inquest, during which 45 witnesses were heard, cost \$300. The attorney-general's department should do a lot of explaining to the county of Simcoe.



HATTIE BECOMES QUARRELSOME

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"What in the world do you think you're doing?" Hattie Nut-hatch asked an English Sparrow one sunny January afternoon.

"Way, I'm building a nest," replied the Sparrow. "And now see what you've done, you interfering Nut-hatch. You made me drop the materials I was carrying in my bill, when you asked me a question that I had to answer."

"You didn't have to answer," replied Hattie tartly. "You were just too stupid to remember that you were carrying something. And I certainly think you must be crazy. You sparrows are building nests and raising families from one year's end to the next, it seems to me. No wonder the rest of us are driven away. The country is very much over-populated with English Sparrows."

"Not at all," said the Sparrow indignantly. "And you get away from here and leave me alone or I'll get some of my friends and we'll chase you away. What business have you in that tree anyway?"

"I refuse to be frightened away from a good tree like this one by you," said the little Nut-hatch firmly. "And moreover, I'm finding this such a good tree that I'm going to get some of my friends to come and help me enjoy it. If a couple of Nut-hatches and Chickadees do the surface work and some Woodpeckers, with their longer, stronger bills, dig into the bark further, we'll have covered the tree pretty thoroughly. There won't be many insects or insect eggs left when the birds I have mentioned have gone over it."

"Here come your chums now," said the English Sparrow. "But mark my words, and don't be surprised if you find a bunch of Sparrows swooping down into the branches any minute and telling you to move on."

"Oh, you go on back to your nest building and mind your own business," said Hattie rudely. "At least that should keep you out of mischief."

"Were you quarrelling with a Sparrow again, Hattie?" asked

Merry Chickadee reproachfully, as she and Mrs. Woody Woodpecker and one other bird alighted beside the Nut-hatch.

"You needn't be," said Hattie. "You know what a quick tongue I have."

"Well, I know you never keep it still," said Mrs. Woody. "You keep talking away, going 'chuk, chuk, chuk,' even in the coldest weather."

"We've brought a Tree Sparrow along with us," whispered Merry in a loud undertone to Hattie, "so don't blow up about the Sparrows any more. He might feel sensitive about them."

"I heard you, and you needn't be concerned about my feelings," piped up the handsome little Sparrow. He was a good-sized bird, bigger than Hattie Nut-hatch, with a little reddish brown cap, white wing bars, gray throat and a dark spot in the middle of his breast.

"But, after all, the English Sparrows are cousins of yours," said Merry.

"Yes, but we can't be responsible for all our cousins," said the Tree Sparrow. "We just try to forget that we have any connection with them. We tree Sparrows are very respectable people, with no bad habits, and of course, we are very useful, because we eat so many weed seeds."

"You don't usually spend the winter with us, but it's very nice to have you just the same," said Mrs. Woody. "I always like to hear your nice little song in the early spring, too. You also stay quite late in the autumn usually, don't you?"

"Oh, quite a few of us stay in the southern parts of Canada all winter," said the Sparrow. "And those of us who go farther south spend a short season there. I do feel, however, that possibly Newmarket is a wee bit northerly for me. However, we live and learn. It has been a hard winter, though, hasn't it?"

"Yes, but it's grand today," said Hattie. "Oh, here come those horrible English Sparrows. We might just as well go somewhere else as stay here and have to be near them. Come on,"

and Ed. Keene also had his arm broken.

Mayor Jackson and Miss Eva Jackson are visiting in Hamilton this week.

Mr. Stephen W. Traviss and Mr. Seth Traviss and their mother left for Dakota Tuesday night.

Miss Hattie Campbell of Toronto is spending the week with Miss Jennie Simpson.

While skating at the rink last Saturday night, Charles Atkinson had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder.

BORN—In town, Jan. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Flanagan, a son.

MARRIED—On Wednesday, Jan. 15, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. Ames of Aurora, Mr. James Shanks to Miss Hannah Thompson, both of King.

DIED—At Queensville, Jan. 28, William Shepherd, aged 77 years.

DIED—In town, Jan. 23, Catherine Ryan, formerly of King, aged 61 years.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Jan. 29, 1915

Miss Jessie Robertson is visiting in Toronto this week.

Miss Grace Johns spent Sunday in Toronto with friends.

Miss Nelles of Toronto is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. W. H. Eves.

Mr. S. P. Caldwell of Rochester, N.Y., visited his sister, Mrs. M. W. Bogart, on Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Mader of Toronto spent the weekend in town with her sister, Mrs. Danford Roche.

Mr. Harold Murray of Kettleby has returned home after spending a couple of weeks at Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davey celebrated their silver wedding anniversary last Friday evening by entertaining a few friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lepard spent Sunday at Mount Albert.

Mr. J. Moore has opened a new boot and shoe repair shop on the corner opposite Roadhouse's furniture store.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison, who just recently moved to Aurora from Eversley, were presented with a Morris chair and an address by their Eversley friends. The address was read by Miss Florence Ferguson and replied to by Mr. Harrison.

MARRIED—At Bellhaven, Jan. 14, by Elder D. Prosser, at the home of the bride, Mr. Cecil D. Prosser to Miss Sadie E. Nelson, both of North Gwillimbury.

Time on His Hands

The beautiful young girl shook her head decidedly. "No, Mr. Gotrox, I cannot marry you," she said. "You are over 70, and I am only 16."

The old man shrugged his shoulders. "All right, dearie," he sighed, "I'll wait."

Sharon

The members of St. James' congregation held a very successful supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers on Saturday evening, Jan. 27. After the meal the congregation re-assembled to hold its annual vestry meeting.

The incumbent, Rev. A. J. Forts, presided over the gathering. Satisfactory progress in all departments of the church was reported. The debt on the building fund was substantially reduced. All current debts were reported paid and a favorable balance carried forward.

The following officers were re-elected: R. J. Rogers, incumbent's warden; W. Grose, people's warden; R. J. Rogers was elected lay representative to the synod; envelope secretary, Mrs. E. L. Phillips; auditors, Gertrude Grose, Mrs. B. L. Phillips.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. F. Osborne on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 2 p.m. The roll call will be answered by "A health or nutrition habit I should practise daily." A paper on "health" will be given by Mrs. H. Fife. Current events will be given by Mrs. E. Farr; music, Mrs. E. Wright.

The refreshment committee is Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Levi Weddell and Mrs. W. Fountain.

BORN IN YORK COUNTY, DIES IN THE WEST

Born in York county, Oct. 13, 1869, Joseph Andrew Perrault, Grand Coulee, Sask., died on Sunday, Jan. 21. Mr. Perrault moved to the west, to Sinaluta, in 1903 and took up farming, later moving to Indian Head, where he farmed until the spring of 1907, when he moved to Grand Coulee where he had farmed ever since.

Mr. Perrault held office as councillor in the Sherwood municipality for some years. He married Evelyn Amelia Draper of York county in 1894.

Besides his wife there survive three daughters, Mrs. Les. Thomson, Mossbank; Mrs. Jack Proctor, Tyvan; Mrs. Wm. Carveth, Moose Jaw; three sons, Reuben, Arran, Erwin and Harold, Grand Coulee; 16 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. There are three sisters, Mrs. Martha Greenwood, Beaverton; Mrs. Lucy Stevenson and Mrs. Maude Bain of Zephyr; two brothers, Abe of Lindsay and George of Toronto.

The funeral services were held on Wednesday, Jan. 24. Interment was made in Regina cemetery.

Question of Weight

An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotsman were arguing as to which of their respective countries had the lightest man.

The Irishman, full tilt at the obvious, led with: "We have men of Cork."

"The Scotsman," "Yes, but we have men of Ayr."

"But," said the cockney, "we have lightermen on the Thames."

The Common Round

STAGE LURE AND LORE

By Isabel Inglis Colville

For some of us the lure of the stage is as strong now, as we leave youth behind, as when we took part in our first school concert.

I can remember when even to PASS the Opera House—it hardly lived up to this grandiose title—gave me a thrill, and to accompany a friend who took lessons from the wife of the manager of said Opera House—in the Opera House—was to me a visit to an enchanted region.

My friend took her lesson on the stage, and I would retire discreetly to the balcony, and there, even enjoy the smell peculiar to old theatres—a smell composed of old properties, grease paint, and a deplorable amount of dust—and overcast with the remembered "amor of footlights shining on the world of make-believe."

Later, when I was one of a small opera company, which every year put on a Gilbert and Sullivan opera on that same stage, I never mounted the steps to the stage—steps so steep that they always threatened to cast you bodily backward on top of the unfortunate being who was following you—without the same feeling of half fearful delight.

All this came back to me as I sat waiting for the curtains to part in the first act of "Rose of the Danube," and I could not help contrasting the comfortable chairs with those in which our audiences of yore patiently endured the waits.

Only the chairs of those days were NOT chairs—they were benches, and were numbered to fit so many THIN people—anyway, the thin people suffered; being crowded by their plumper seat mates.

Then, on the night of Jan. 15, 1940, the stage was of such a nice height that even those in front did not suffer any inconvenience. When my better half and I heard that the N. H. S. Glee club, under the direction of Mrs. Lyons, was putting on an opera, we "gave three cheers and one cheer more," for here was something which would bring out latent talent, encourage proper stage deportment, and induce a love for opera which would grow with the growth of those privileged to take part in the presentation. And from the moment when the curtains parted on the very pretty first scene to their final closing I enjoyed it all.

The setting was quite lovely, the peasants' costumes colorful and dainty, and the rose garlands added to the beauty of the scene. The choruses showed what can be done with young voices under competent supervision, any slight raggedness of attack being the result of nervousness.

The principals were well chosen—the girls' voices were lovely—the Zose, in my estimation, being on the way to prima donna land—and the boys making up in acting where they sometimes fell a little short in the vocal realm.

The king did excellent work.

seeming to grasp the real sense of comedy his part called for—in fact all the cast did a fine piece of work.

The dancing was excellent, the maids of honor most attractive, and one cannot leave without speaking of the conspirators—they may have been a dark blot on Euroulania, but they were a high-light in the opera. One wishes that all conspirators were as delightfully stupid as Demetrius and Trombonius, and as easily fooled as Popova.

The charming way their "punishment FITTED the crime," especially in one case, recalled Gilbert and Sullivan.

One would like to mention everybody individually, but space—or lack of it—forbids, but Mrs. Lyons, Mr. Rutledge and Mr. Bastedo deserve the encomiums of their townspeople for putting on a performance so delightful, and which, we hope, is only the forerunner of more as good.



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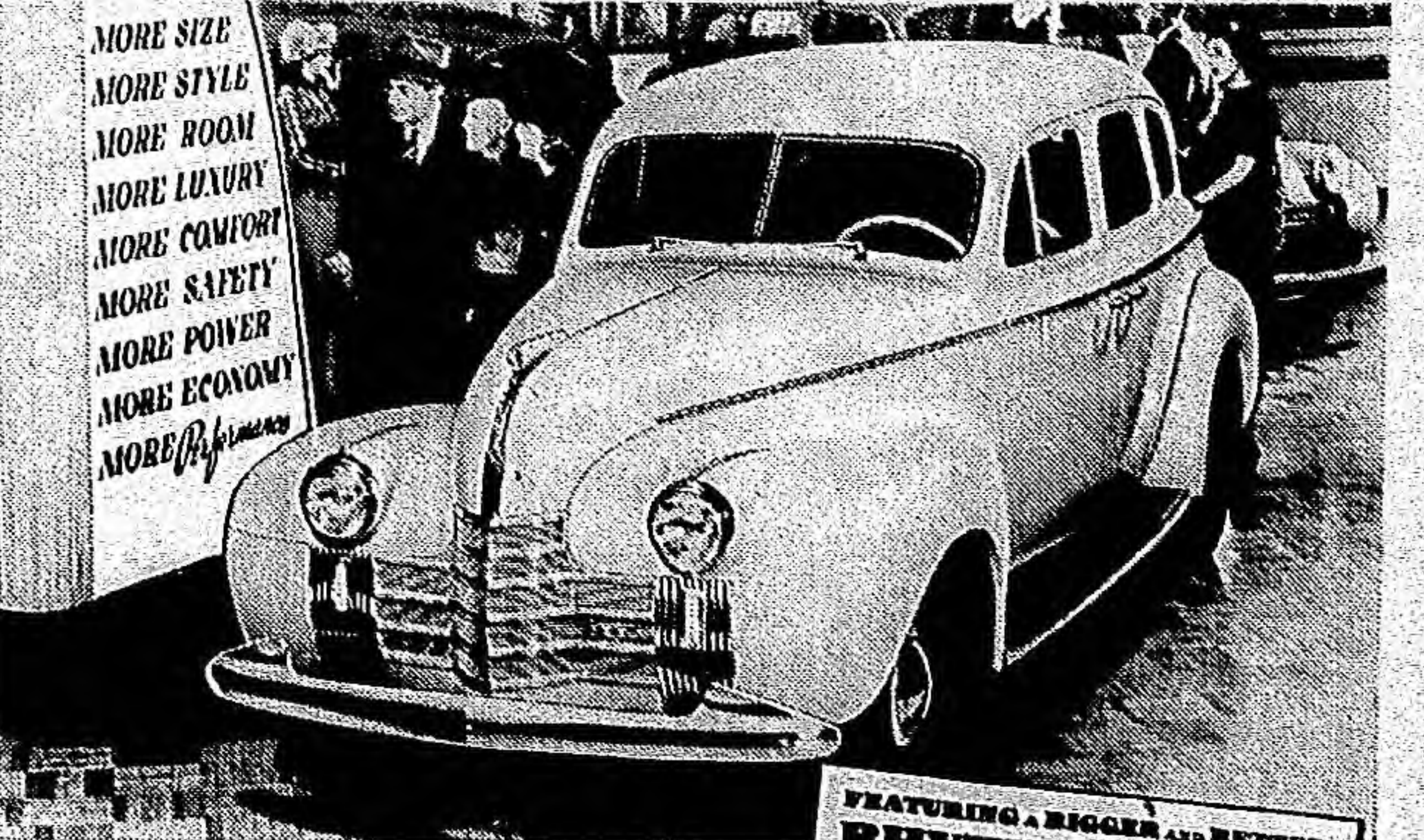
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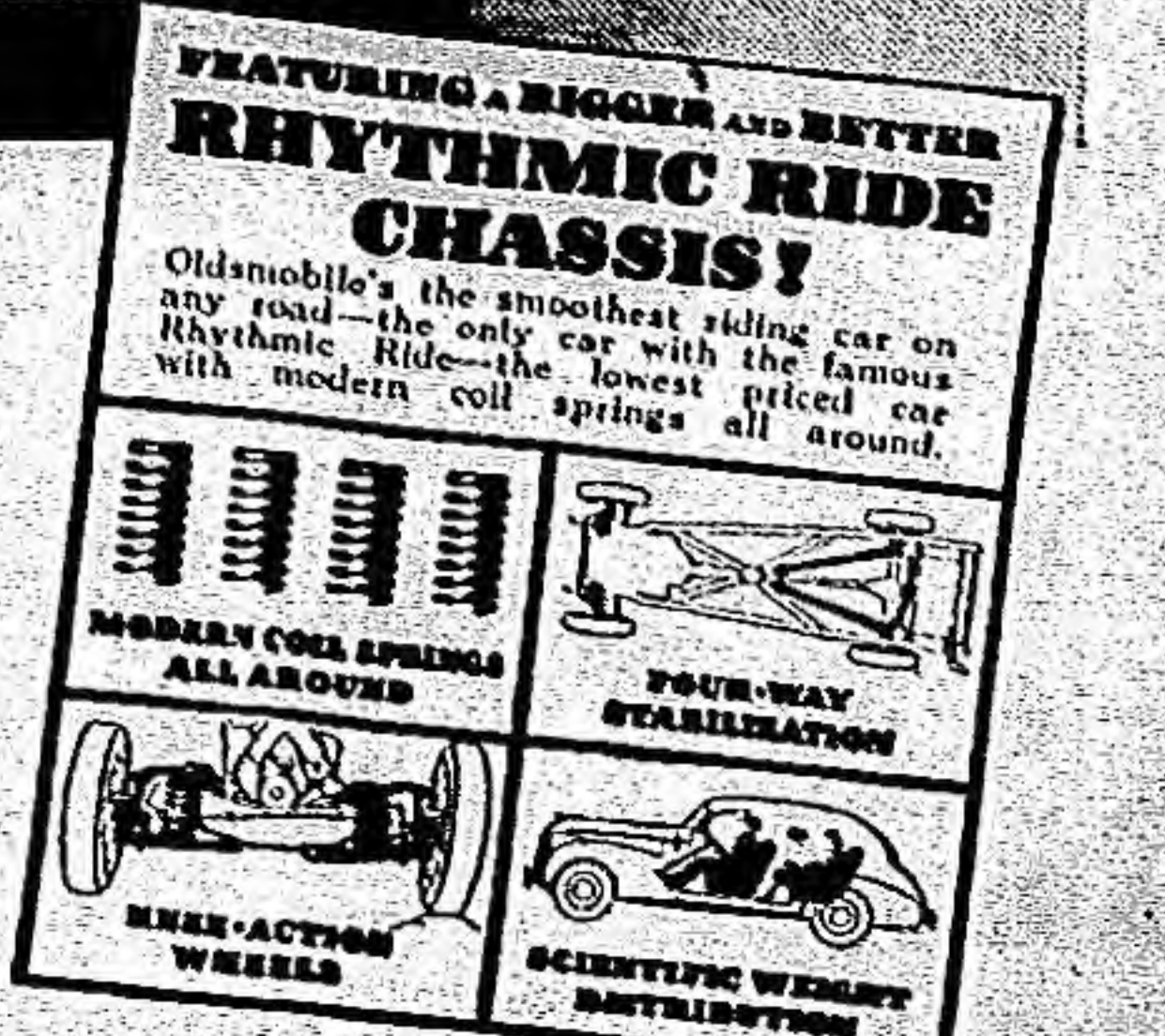
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POLICE COURT

LOST LIQUOR, FOUND SOME, ACCUSED SAYS

On a charge of having illegal possession of liquor, John Myers, Newmarket, was fined \$100 and costs, or three months, by Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in police court here on Tuesday.

In addition, Myers received a jail sentence of one month, as the magistrate stated he did not believe the story told by Myers under oath as to where he got the liquor. The 16 bottles of liquor found were ordered confiscated.

K. M. R. Stiver was defence counsel for Myers, and Myers pleaded guilty to the charge.

"On Jan. 20 at 3.15 p.m., as County Constable Wm. Hill and I were patrolling the lake shore road, we observed a car answering the description we had been given and bearing the same license number," stated Constable Carl Morton, North Gwillimbury. "We overtook the car and stopped it, and Smith and Myers were in the front seat. While searching the car we found in the back a large wooden box containing an assortment of bottles filled with liquor. Myers admitted that the liquor was 'moonshine' and that he owned it. Smith said very little except that he owned the car."

"I asked Smith where he was going and he told me he was on his way to Roche's Point for some fish when he saw Myers thumbing a ride on the Queensville flats with a big box under his arm, so

he stopped and gave him a ride," stated County Constable Wm. Hill. "What conversation did you have with Myers?" asked Mr. Stiver.

"Myers told me that he had been thumbing a ride on the flats when Smith picked him up and that he owned the liquor," answered Constable Hill.

"How long have you known Smith?" asked Mr. Matthews.

"Almost all my life," answered Myers.

"Weren't you in the same district the previous week with Smith?" "Yes."

"Didn't you have some liquor with you then also?"

"Yes, but Smith didn't know I had any liquor with me."

"What were you doing with the liquor?" "Nothing in particular."

"Were you peddling the liquor?" "No."

"Where did you get the liquor?" "I found the box with the bottles on the side of the road."

"I'm asking you where you obtained the liquor." "I won't say."

"Why were the police looking for the car?" "I don't know."

"What did you do with the liquor you had the previous week?" "I lost it."

"You ought to run a lost and found department," Mr. Matthews told Myers.

Smith testified that he did not know what Myers had in the box, as it was covered over.

"I'm satisfied that Myers was the owner of the liquor but I am also satisfied that Smith had joint possession with Myers," stated the magistrate.

Four charges of breaking and entering into cottages around Jackson's Point laid against Ralph Charles, Jackson's Point, were adjourned one week, as Charles was sick and unable to appear.

Frank Cooper, Hamilton, was fined \$5 and costs for speeding on Yonge St.

On a charge of refusing to pay a poll tax, Herbert Holman, Aurora, paid the \$5 tax into the court and also court costs of \$1.25. On the same charge, Fred Obee, Aurora, was remanded for sentence.

A charge of careless driving laid against James Hoult, Toronto, by Joe Bondi, Newmarket, was dismissed as the magistrate stated it was a case for the civil courts.

Bondi stated that when he turned into a driveway on Huron St. the back end of his car was on the road and that a truck driven by Hoult crashed into his car and caused damages amounting to \$23.

After pleading guilty to charges of breaking and entering into summer cottages and theft, three Keswick youths were each given terms at the Ontario Reformatory.

Roy Sedore, 21, and James McGinn, 23, who were on probation for one year after being given suspended

EVERSLEY Y. P. S. ENJOYS SLEIGHING PARTY

What splendid sleighing weather and roads! The roads cleared by the snowplows, gave a solid snow surface for the steel runners. Sleigh bells give out a jolly jingle and everybody enjoys the social element. So why not hitch up that spanking team and have a happy sleigh-ride while the sleighing lasts.

Eversley Young People held their social evening last Tuesday at Scott Bovair's hospitable home. There were doubts as to whether the roads would be opened in time, but the farmers went to work with their drags, and the snowplow came along in time to clear the roads.

There were 35 young people at the social and they had a happy time. The people from Eversley went in a sleigh-load.

Lloyd Thompson was program convenor and had a good program. Rev. M. E. Burch gave an account of his visit to the world's fair last August. Several read

poems.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Rae and family were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Rae, of Newmarket.

Chalmers Black, an outstanding breeder of pure-bred Shorthorn cattle and registered Percheron horses, had a visit from the Schomberg short course Junior Farmers on Thursday of last week. Charles Walton, having prize-winning sheep, was requested to take several classes of Cheviot and Oxford sheep to the short course to be judged. Gordon Cook secured the highest number of points on judging Mr. Black's horses.

SCHOMBERG ANGLICAN CHURCH ELECTS OFFICIALS

Mrs. W. E. Dale entertained the ladies' bridge club last Tuesday night at her home.

The annual vestry meeting of St. Mary Magdalene's Anglican church was held at the rectory on Wednesday evening, Jan. 24. Owing to the fire in the church a year ago this was a difficult year. However, much thankfulness was expressed at the state in which the church now finds itself. Officers elected were: rector's warden, Ross Marchant; people's warden, A. H. MacLeod; vestry clerk, Mrs. Clarence Marchant; treasurer, George Taylor; sidesmen, E. Stonehouse, W. Aitchison, W. L. McFowen and D. A. Wauchope.

Refreshments were served and a social half-hour spent following the meeting.

The horticultural society held its annual meeting on Thursday night of last week. Dr. M. K. Dillane was again chosen president, with Mrs. Clare Shaw as secretary. Directors are Mrs. J. Lister, Mrs. A. Creyke and H. Cabell.

The agricultural short course, which was conducted here throughout the past four weeks, came to a close last Friday. The final function was a banquet held in the town hall and catered for by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, followed by a pleasant evening of entertainment.

Miss Grace Amey spent the weekend visiting friends in Toronto.

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HOLLAND LANDING TAKES ONE TON OF FISH IN SINGLE DAY

Mr. Gordon Kitching of Toronto is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Forsythe.

Mr. R. U. Tate has purchased a new truck for use in connection with his fox ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oulton of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elden Goodwin.

A world day of prayer meeting is to be held in the United church on Feb. 9. Mrs. M. S. Benn will be the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Goodwin and Miss Helen Goodwin-Fisher were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin.

B. B. Collings of Bradford caught a ton of fish out of the river on Monday.

John Kitching and Elden Goodwin were also fishing on Monday. Elden says the bottom of the river looks very different in winter.

The Progress club of Christ church is holding a pancake social and euchre on Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 6, in the municipal hall, Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Spezziali.

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ORCHESTRA WILL PLAY AT EVENING SERVICE

The orchestra will take charge of the music in the Presbyterian church at the evening service on Sunday, Feb. 4.

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There actually is a class in our Sunday-school where you will be made welcome. The time—2:30 p.m.

ANGELICAN CHURCH HAS GOOD FINANCIAL YEAR

The best financial year in many years was reported at the annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Anglican church on Monday night, all expenses having been paid, including arrears, and a balance left on hand.
It was decided that during the coming year an effort would be made to launch a campaign in an effort to reduce the mortgage debt on the church hall.
J. O. Little and J. E. Nesbitt were re-elected as wardens and J. E. Nesbitt and A. D. Evans were named as delegates to the Synod.
The rector is Rev. A. J. Patstone.

BIRTHS

Horsing—At York county hospital, Jan. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. William Horsing, Holland Landing, a daughter.
Phillips—At York county hospital, Jan. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Phillips, R.R. 2, Newmarket, a son.
Tite—At Sutton private hospital, Jan. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Tite, of Keswick, (nee Pattle B. Pollock), a son, Philip Ernest Ellis.
Whittaker—At York county hospital, Jan. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whittaker, Newmarket, a son.

DEATHS

Brown—On Saturday, Jan. 27, at her residence, 110 Waverley road, Toronto, Marguerite M. Brown, daughter of Mrs. Ida Brown.
The funeral service was held on Monday. Interment Victoria Square.

Filday—At Newmarket on Thursday, Feb. 1, Annie Filday, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eneas Filday, and sister of Arthur Filday, Mrs. W. J. Hopkinson and Mrs. Harold Gordon, Newmarket, Mrs. Walter McDermott, Beeton, Mrs. Robert McDevish, Toronto.
Funeral service at her late residence, 28 Strigley St., on Saturday, Feb. 3, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Mum—At Potageville, on Sunday, Jan. 28, Joseph Mum, husband of the late Hannah Ireland, in his 83rd year.
The funeral service was held on Tuesday. Interment Kettleby cemetery.

Kates—At Toronto General hospital, Toronto, on Friday, Samuel Kates, Newmarket, in his 38th year, husband of Ruth Kates. Funeral held in Toronto on Sunday.

Nicol—At his residence, Brackmont, Aurora, Ont., on Monday, Jan. 29, Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur G. Nicol.
The funeral service was held on Wednesday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Ross—At Toronto, on Saturday, Jan. 27, James C. Ross, husband of the late Francis Elizabeth Catley of Aurora, Ont.
The funeral service was held on Tuesday morning. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Webster—At the Hospital for Sick Children, Sunday, Jan. 28, Gail Anne, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Webster, 21 Bain Ave., Toronto, aged 10 months.
The funeral service was held on Tuesday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Williamson—At her residence, 85 Queen St. east, Newmarket, on Tuesday, Jan. 20, Hannah L. Steedley, beloved wife of Edgar P. Williamson, in her 60th year.
The funeral service was held at the above address this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was made in Newmarket cemetery.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Dr. and Mrs. Snell of St. Catharines are visiting at Dr. Wesley's. Dr. Snell is taking care of the doctor's practice while he is taking a short holiday.
—Mr. Edgar Pope, Windsor, spent a few days in town last week, leaving for home on Sunday evening.
—Miss Florence Trehwella of Toronto spent the weekend at her home on Millard Ave.
—Mrs. Coldwell of Calgary, Mrs. McIvor of Richmond Hill and Mrs. Sanford Woods of Toronto spent Sunday with their cousin, Mrs. W. H. Brodie. Mr. Woods, Mr. Lorne Woods and Miss Cox were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brodie on Sunday.
—Miss Olive Williamson of Sutton spent the weekend the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Arnold.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Spooner, Mr. Aubrey Marshall, Miss Betty Greig and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. R. Bell attended the Toronto Credit Men's Association dance held in the Royal York on Monday evening.
—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes and family will spend the weekend in St. Catharines.
—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andrews spent Sunday in Stouffville, the guests of Mrs. Andrews' sister,

Mrs. Bert Tait, and Mr. Tait.
—Miss Helen Blendauer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hatfield, in Toronto this week.
—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Perrin were visitors of Mrs. Perrin's daughter, Mrs. Jack Howley, in Weston on Sunday.
—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arlt, Mr. Jack Arlt and Mrs. Arlt's mother, Mrs. G. B. Simmons spent Sunday in Bowmanville, the guests of Mrs. Arlt's sister, Mrs. W. P. Corbett, and Mr. Corbett.
—Mr. Vern Arnold of Gravenhurst spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Arnold.
—Miss Lillian Baker spent the weekend in Hawkestone.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman entertained a few friends from Toronto on Sunday.
—Miss Marion Stark spent the weekend the guest of Miss Dorothy Smith, Aurora.
—Mr. and Mrs. James J. Miller spent the weekend in Toronto attending the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were former Newmarket residents.
—Mrs. Ben Terry of Aurora was in town on Monday and attended the Good Cheer class banquet at the Christian church.

One of the season's highlights, the Women's Hospital Aid dance, with Art West and his delightful orchestra, will be held on Friday, Feb. 16, in the high school auditorium. You won't want to miss it.

COUNCIL TURNS

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board of health should take at least one member of the committee into its confidence before spending money like this?" asked Mr. Mungovan. "It is only \$100 this time. We don't know what it will be next time."
"The object of taking an option is to keep it quiet, so that no fictitious price will be asked," said Dr. Boyd.
"I contend that if the ashes were kept separate an incinerator could be built for \$500 which would take care of all our garbage," said Councillor Frank Bowser.
Councillor A. D. Evans said that a garbage by-law prepared a year or two ago required that ashes and wet garbage should be kept separate, but that it had never been passed.
N. L. Mathews, K. C., clerk and solicitor, said that the by-law had been passed but that the teeth had been taken out of it. He said that it did provide for keeping ashes and other garbage separate.
"The M. O. H. should instruct the collectors to keep their ashes and wet garbage separate," said Dr. Boyd.
"Advertise and ask the people to co-operate," said Mr. Bowser.
It would be necessary for the collectors to divide their wagons, Dr. Boyd stated.
It was agreed that steps would be taken along these lines, under the direction of the M. O. H.

TANNERS, TOWN

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game, when Eves battled one in from close quarters. The Buglers came right back, when Harden drove one past the Town netminder. Cutting, on a fairly long shot, Hartford scored what proved the winning counter on a very fine solo effort with but three minutes to go. The R.S.A. gang put up a blistering finish but were unable to get the equalizer.
For the winners, Hartford, with two goals and three assists to his credit, led the Town puck-chasers to victory, assisted by very smart games by Neufeld, Boyd, Mathewson and May.
For the losers, the front liners of How, Brown, Harden, Watts and Burke worked hard all night and Harold Brown in goal held off the Towners on many hard stops, especially in the opening period.
Line-up: Town: goal, Cutting; defence, May, Eves; centre, Mathewson; wings, Hartford, Neufeld; alternates, Hamilton, Boyd, K. Blair, Dennis, C. Rutledge.

RECENTLY ORGANIZED CLASSES HOLD MEETING

The Braec and Philathea Sunday-school classes of the Friends' church, which have just recently been organized, held a meeting on Tuesday night. The organization movement is interdenominational and is for all Sunday-school classes. It was started in Syracuse.
Mr. Harry Cooper of Toronto spoke on "The history of the present day activities of the movement." Organized Sunday-school classes were brought into being through this movement and it is now a world-wide movement.
There were about 25 in attendance.
A social time was spent at the close of the meeting.

COLLEGE SENIOR HOCKEY TEAM KEEPS RECORD

The Pickering College senior hockey team kept their unbeaten record intact when they tied the north Toronto seniors in the Newmarket arena on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24. Pickering led at the end of the first period on a goal by Jim McComb, and managed to keep the north Toronto boys off the score sheet, until midway through the third period. Goal-tender Stu Henry, of the college team, played a phenomenal game and the defence of Myers and Taylor also played a beautiful game for Pickering. The final score was one-all, no overtime was played.

HAVE YOU ANY LETTERS FROM SOLDIERS?

If any of our readers have received letters from soldiers who have gone overseas from northern York, this newspaper would appreciate the opportunity of making extracts from the letters for publication. The letters will be carefully preserved and returned to the recipients.
We shall also be glad of the opportunity to make interesting extracts from letters written by old country folks telling of their war time experiences.
We thank our readers in advance for their anticipated co-operation in contributing these features to this newspaper, which is theirs as well as ours.—Editor.

W. I. IS GIVEN SEWING MACHINE DEMONSTRATION

There was a splendid attendance at the January meeting of the Newmarket Women's Institute which was held at the home of Mrs. W. Bowdwin, on Thursday afternoon.
The roll call, "A New Year's resolution," was well responded to.
Reports from the different standing committees were then announced, also a report of the knitting and sewing done for war work within the society.
A demonstration of sewing by Miss Scheltgen of Barrie on a sewing machine was both interesting and instructive. Miss Jean Hunter sang a solo with Mrs. Bailey playing the accompaniment.
The meeting closed by singing the national anthem, followed by prayer. Refreshments were then served and a social hour enjoyed.

AURORA UNIONVILLE BOARD MEMBERS ARE GUESTS

The opening meeting of the Aurora board of trade for 1940 was held on Tuesday evening at Dawson's Grill. Following dinner there was a short business session, at which it was decided to hold a ladies' night in the near future.
President A. N. Fisher turned the meeting over to members of the Unionville board of trade, who were the guests of the evening. President R. Stiver of the Unionville club recalled the assistance given by the Aurora club in the formation of the Markham township association, and paid tribute to the assistance given by A. N. Fisher and his executive.
Alex Eves, president of the Newmarket board of trade, led the gathering in community singing, following which Mr. Stiver introduced Rev. G. W. Owen of Unionville, who was the speaker of the evening.
A novel program of entertainment was highly enjoyed by the 50 or more present.

WORLD'S DAY OF PRAYER WILL BE HELD ON FEB. 9

The world's day of prayer will take place in the Presbyterian church on Feb. 9, at 3 p.m.

"GOOD CHEER" CLASS ENJOYS ANNUAL BANQUET

The annual banquet of the Good Cheer class of the Christian church was held on Monday evening in the Sunday-school room and was well attended.
The young ladies' class of the Sunday-school catered for the occasion and about 60 members sat down to enjoy the sumptuous repast prepared for them, all doing their duty to the fullest extent.
Between courses the members got ready for the next, with community singing, which gradually diminished towards the end, everyone being too full for words.
After the banquet a program, presided over by the president, Mrs. Alex. Hughston, was rendered by the following: songs by Mrs. Wm. Epworth and Mrs. Louis Bovaiv; duet by Mrs. F. W. Kelley and Mrs. Ed. Brimmer, and a reading by Miss Gladys Bogart. Toasts were proposed to the King, by Mrs. Ted Adams; the Sunday-school, by Miss Stella Cook, responded to by the superintendent, Miss Annie Knowles; the teacher of the class, Mrs. Robinson, responded to by Mrs. Stephens in the absence of Mrs. Haines.
The pastor, Rev. Arthur Greer, who was the guest of the evening, then gave a talk entitled "Irish Fun and Fervor," and being an Irishman he spoke with authority. He almost had his hearers convinced the "Irish were on top of the pile," as he so modestly put it. This brought the evening's entertainment to a close, all being satisfied that they had had a good time.

PICKERING BASKETBALL TEAMS BREAK EVEN

The University of Toronto schools senior and junior prep school basketball squads invaded Pickering college last Wednesday, and in two lopsided games broke even on the afternoon's play. In the first game, the U.T.S. seniors whipped the college boys by an overwhelming 46-11 score. The inexperienced Pickering team played a good game and actually were out-luckered around the basket. Bruce Bishop was high man for the college with ten points.
In the other game the college juniors played a beautiful game in submerging a good U.T.S. squad by a 38-20 score. The score at half time was 14-12 for Pickering. During the third quarter the hilltop team scored 15 points without a reply from their opponents. Ward Cornell with 15 points and Terry Bamford with 12 were outstanding for Pickering.

REDS ROMP HOME AS BEAVERTON LOSES 9-3

By RALPH M. ADAMS

Blatting in practically where they left off against the Hillers, in a scoring sense, the local Redmen potted in nine counters on the Beaverton squad, last Thursday night at Spillette's stadium. The reply from the Beaverton guns was decidedly weak and the best they could do was a three gun salvo.
The only real casualty of the game was in the last period when Whitey Bone lost a tooth in a flurry around the Beaverton net. A slick flashed up and the big defence man spat out half of a front tooth, an accident pure and simple, with nobody to blame. No doubt Whitey will get a good deal of ribbing over the accident because of his recent marriage.
Again the Reds missed plenty of chances around the net, particularly in the last period, when they hemmed the Beaverton boys in back of their own defence line. If the boys dish up as good an effort against Markham next week, the fans, including yours truly, won't have anything to kick about.

Net Four in First

In the early stages of the first period, the Beaverton outfit showed flashes of smart combination, actually out-playing the locals in this department. Then the Reds broke loose at the six-minute mark. Bone rapping home the first on a perfect pass from Gunn on a two-man rush. Twice, right after the goal, Newmarket was slow in clearing the rubber and both times Dillman was the man on the job.
The second goal came off the stick of Jack Gibbons, who picked up Stan. Gibbons' relay, to tally at the 12-minute hand. Luck nailed his first marker of the night when he scored the third goal on Hamilton's pass-out at 18:30.

With 40 seconds to go in the first, Hamilton batted the fourth counter home on Luck's pass-off, from a nice combination effort. The period ended with a shut-out on the board for Dillman.

Comes the Fireworks

Stan. Gibbons took up the scoring burden early in the second, snapping home Bone's rebound for the fifth goal. Then Gunn got the gate for dumping Apps and the Beaverton squad had the advantage. With Gunn off, Dillman outguessed the maroon forwards twice, when they were right on his doorstep. Just as Gunn returned, Apps, the centre man of the Beaverton team, had a mix-up with Bone and ended up on the ice with the birdies chirping.
Bone got tired of the shoving so laid a sweet, little haymaker on the Beaverton boy's jaw and took a five-minute rest. Beaverton finally hit the score sheet when Apps beat Dillman on Gule's relay at the 16-minute tick. Back came the Reds with Gunn banging the disc through a scramble to chalk up the sixth score.

Not to be outdone, the "high school line" came out to add the seventh to the Reds' total, Luck putting the rubber in the twine after his mates had made the play.

Last is Least

In comparison with the first two periods the last canto was the fainest for the Reds. The feature of the last period for the Beaverton team was the netminding of Koch, who beat the Redmen time after time, with them right on his crease. He beat McInnis no less than three times when the big blond had him at his mercy. Hamilton got his second counter of the night when he banged in Bone's pass with the period half way.

Apps sifted the rubber through a maze of players for the second Beaverton goal, a shot that lodged high in the twine. It. Dane made the trio for the north team when he battled in Apps' pass on a perfect combination effort. Koch stopped Stan. Gibbons cold when the winger drifted right in on top of him.

Luck sank the old ship Beaverton by nailing the last goal, netting the rubber after everybody had taken a slap at it. Just before the bell Koch stopped a four man rush of the locals after the defence had let them through.

On the Beaverton squad the outstanding man was Koch in twine, with Apps, H. Dane and Snodden all playing real hockey on the firing line. For the locals every man played real hockey, with Bone, Gunn, Hamilton, Luck and Gibbons perhaps being slightly outstanding.

In this encounter the Redmen were weakened by the absence of Broughton, who was in bed with an attack of tonsillitis, thus his line was slowed up a little on the attack.

Beaverton: goal, Koch; defence, Devine and Vail; centre, Apps; wings, Gale and H. Dane; alternates, Morrison, McCrae, G. Dane, Currie, Snodden, Juff and Grant.
Newmarket: goal, Dillman; defence, Bone and McInnis; centre, Hamilton; wings, Jelley and

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IS RECOVERED

Mrs. Calvin Davis, who has been ill with pneumonia, is up and around again, but is still confined to the house.

LEAVES OTTAWA

Corporate E. A. Robinson, Newmarket, a member of the R. C. A. S. C. left Ottawa last Friday for an unknown destination.

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Prominent North Yorker Dies On Farm Where He Was Born

COL. NICOL HELD MILITARY AWARDS, WAS HEAD OF 12TH YORK RANGERS

The death occurred early Monday of Colonel Arthur G. Nicol, "Brackmont" farm, Yonge St. north. The deceased had been ill for over two years at his late residence.

The late Colonel died on the same property upon which he was born, it being a crown grant to his grandfather in 1807. Keenly interested in agriculture, he remained on the farm and managed operations for many years. He was particularly interested in horticulture and was noted for his flowers and plants, many of which were awarded prizes at various times.

Early in life he joined the famous 12th York Rangers and rose to be officer commanding the regiment, with the rank of colonel. At the time of the Great War ill health prevented him from travelling overseas, but despite his physical condition he played an active part in recruiting and training forces at home. He retired from active military service in 1925. He was the holder of various military awards, including the long service medal, and was cited for the services rendered his country during the last war. One of the keenest of his regrets was to see the passing of his old regiment when it was merged with the Queen's Rangers regiment some years ago.

Never a bitter partisan in politics, the colonel was a lifelong follower of the Conservative party, and played an active

DR. BOULDING SPEAKS ON PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEMS

On Tuesday evening Dr. C. R. Boulding, M.O.H., addressed the members of Kettleby A.Y.P.A. on the subject "Problems in Public Health." The meeting was held at the home of Peter Muirhead, with nearly a full attendance of members.

part in the earlier elections of the late T. Herbert Lennox. He was a member of Trinity Anglican church, Aurora, and served in practically every capacity in church affairs. He was a member of Rising Sun Masonic lodge, and in 1894 was elected worshipful master. He was one of the oldest past masters of the local lodge.

His widow, who survives him, was Alice Tyrwhitt, a member of one of the distinguished families of the district, her father being the late Colonel Tyrwhitt. He is also survived by his second son, Ronald, of Toronto.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday from Trinity Anglican church to Aurora cemetery. The funeral service was held on Wednesday from Trinity Anglican church to Aurora cemetery, assisted by Rev. George Wright, conducted the service.

Active pallbearers were Kenneth Freeman, Horace Hillary, J. Wright, C. E. Cathers, H. Crispo, and R. Snider. The honorary pallbearers were Elliott Shatley, Jos. Buckle, Aemilius Jarvis, G. D. Y. Leacock, J. M. Walton, John Faris, John Walker and Major W. H. Taylor.

Tigers Take Lead In Local Group, Defeat Midland 9-4

JOE TUNNEY STARS IN FIRST START OF THE SEASON

Backed by stellar net-minding by Joe Tunney, who was making his first start of the season, Aurora Tigers took over the leadership of the local B group from the idle Owen Sound Greys, when they administered a 9-4 beating to Midland, right in the East Simcoe metropolis on Wednesday night.

With Brennan, Curtis and Cook absent from the line-up, and in view of the penalties handed out to Aurora by Referee Dodson, especially during the second period when Aurora was short handed for most of the period, the win can definitely be regarded as a smart performance. Pearce, Scott and Tunney were the three star selections. Badley, Cassidy and Nesbitt were best for the home team. Referee Dobson kept the reins on the game a little too tight, with the result there was a parade to the penalty box with the exception of three all being of a petty nature. Scott and Donkin of the Tigers drew majors for fighting as did Badley of Midland.

Aurora: goal, Tunney; defence, Johnston and Scott; centre, Cummings; wings, Donkin and Michaniuk; spares, Lowe, Pearce, McComb, Fanning and McGhee. Midland: goal, Brodeur; defence, Quinn and Swales; centre, Cassidy; wings, Couture and J. Nesbitt; spares, Murphy, Ryan, Badley, G. Nesbitt and Debbies.

First Period
Aurora, Lowe (McComb) 10:35; Aurora, McComb (Johnston) 11:05; Aurora, Pearce (Michaniuk), 17:50.

Penalties: Badley, McComb, Cummings, Swales, Michaniuk and Lowe.

Second Period
Aurora, McComb, 30; Midland, Cassidy (Quinn), 7:00; Midland, Nesbitt, 7:10; Aurora, Cummings (Donkin), 10:10.

Penalties: McComb, Badley and Donkin (majors), Michaniuk, Donkin, Lowe.

Third Period
Midland, Cassidy, 1:00; Aurora, Donkin (Michaniuk and Cummings) 2:00; Midland, Ryan, 4:00; Aurora, Lowe (Donkin), 7:10; Aurora, McComb (Michaniuk), 9:20; Aurora, Pearce, 10:05; Midland, Nesbitt, 19:10.

Penalties: McComb, Scott (major), Swales (2).

**ST. ANDREW'S DEFEAT
A. H. S. BY ONE GOAL**

On Tuesday afternoon at the local arena, St. Andrew's College seconds defeated Aurora high school 2-1 in regulation time. St. Andrew's had both condition and team play, while weakness both in goal and around the other team's goal was responsible for the loss of the game. Follett got Aurora high lone tally on a pass from Armstrong.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Ex-Reeve J. A. Knowles and family of Toronto spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. S. McNairn attended the Canadian Bank of Commerce at home in Toronto on Friday evening.

Corporal Robert Hacking, R. C. A. F., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Robt. Hacking, Metcalfe St.

Miss Mary Elliott of Toronto spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. James Elliott, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. George English of Toronto are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest English, Wellington St.

Mr. Norman Hillary attended the Alpha Chi Omega sorority party at the Granite club on Saturday evening.

Warden Leavens of the Bolton Prison was in town with a skating party from Bolton on Saturday evening at the Aurora arena.

On Monday evening a bridge party was given in honor of Mr. Thomas Carberry, Wellington St., who celebrated his 66th birthday. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Asa Stephenson, Mr. Harold Lavalle and Mr. George Spence.

Mrs. J. Clark of Newmarket spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Charles Dunham, Wellington St.

Miss Helen Patterson is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson, Yonge St.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Rank and Mr. and Mrs. N. Egan motored to Waubesa on Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Stewart is visiting her sister, Dr. Elizabeth Stewart, in Toronto, for a few days.

Miss Reta DeLafaye returned to Toronto this week after two weeks' sick leave.

Mrs. Sarah Fleury is visiting relatives in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Millie Lindsay of Winnipeg, Man., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Shanks, Reuben St.

KETCHUM, McCULLEY PLAY TO 4-ALL TIE

The two district prep schools met in their annual ice classic on Saturday at the local arena and ended in a 4-4 draw. Both St. Andrew's and Pickering gave a splendid display of the winter pastime with no penalties being issued by Referee Maxie Fullerton, former U. of T. star.

Geer (2), McClelland and Martin scored for St. Andrew's, while Guberman, Perkin (2) and Hall scored for Pickering. J. McClelland in the Andreans' net and Myers on the McCulleyites' defence were the individual stars.

**RESIGNS AS HEAD
OF SUNDAY-SCHOOL**

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church was held on Monday evening, with J. B. Greig as chairman and J. G. McDonald as secretary. The pastor, Rev. J. K. McCreary, gave the invocation.

Reports of all church organizations showed a credit balance in all departments. Charles Malloy, Marshall Rank and Edward Dailey were elected to the board of management for three-year terms.

The resignation was received with regret of Sunday-school superintendent Marshall Rank, who has held that office for the past five years. An appointment will be made later by the board of management. Following the close of the meeting a congregational supper was held.

**TEA-CUP READING IS
HIGHLIGHT OF PARTY**

On Wednesday afternoon an afternoon tea, the proceeds of which will be used for charitable purposes, was held by Elma Rebekah lodge in the L.O.O.F. hall. The guests were received by Mrs. W. J. Merchant. Mrs. Fred Davis poured tea, while Mrs. George Walker, district deputy president, was in charge of arrangements.

Presiding at the tea tables were Mrs. Wm. Saigle, Mrs. Norman Eade, Mrs. H. E. Proctor, Mrs. Wm. Mount, and Mrs. Harold Lubbock. The feature of the afternoon was tea-cup reading by Mrs. F. Saxon of Bradford, and Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Sr. of Aurora. The tea was largely attended and a substantial amount was raised.

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Myers of Pickering was the stand-out player on the ice on Saturday at the prep school clash between St. Andrew's and Pickering. The boy from the west is a pip, and would look mighty good on at least two junior teams we know. The two Charlies, Holmes and Rowntree, prexy and coach of the Newmarket Redmen, watched proceedings from the press-box. They'd dearly love to get Myers, and also, we suspect, Perkin and Guberman before they clash with Markham for the group, which looks like a certainty. Maxie Fullerton, former Varsity football and hockey star, and Mimico lacrosse sniper, refereed a nice game, and we'd like to see him sent here for an O. H. A. game, as he could keep up on the play, which is more than at least two officials seen

this year can do and we don't mean Ken Holmes.

Harry Pearce, speedy right-winger of the Tigers, is a ball-player we missed when we were forecasting the probable softball team some weeks ago. Harry played in the Dentonia Park league and is said to be some pumpkins in the field. Incidentally, he's done a little box-fighting too and can be depended upon to give a good account of himself on or off the ice.

"Nuggets" Shore, softball pitcher de luxe and former Aurora junior, is playing in the Nobleton blood and thunder group with Kettleby. Artie Consaul, the Barrie net-minder, is playing goal with C.P.R. in the major commercial series at Varsity arena. His attempted attack on Goal Umpire Wilf. White last Friday in the first period may be a big league tactic, but it's a brand of showmanship that has no place in junior hockey, and might well have been dealt with by Referee Wortley.

Pepper Martin, burly St. Andrew's rearguard, may yet line up with Aurora Tigers. Martin is most anxious to play, the team and coach are most willing to have him and all that remains is for college officials to pass the good word. The blond boy is really a swell body-checker and for a youngster has had considerable hockey experience, having played intermediate hockey with his native Wallaceburg.

George Goodwin, Canadian badminton champion, certainly put on a wonderful game on Tuesday night before a large crowd of bird and racquet followers in Mechanics' hall. His play was a revelation to small town players, and it is nights like this one that really bring results in all branches of sport. Goodwin is a young man who is definitely at the top of his game, among top stars, several of whom are seeing a decline in their play. Badminton is one game where in the end youth will be served.

Hockey Dates to Remember
Feb. 2—Kingsway at Aurora
5—Aurora at Kingsway
9—Midland at Aurora
12—Aurora at Barrie
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**FESTIVAL ENGAGES
NEW ADJUDICATORS**

The fifth annual syllabus of the York musical festival has just been published. The festival takes place the week of May 13, in the Aurora United church.

There are 121 classes this year, divided as follows: adult choral, 4; junior vocal, 13; junior choral, 1; school choral classes, 8; ungraded school vocal classes, 7; elocution classes, 2; high school recitations, 2; public school recitations, 8; public school readings, 14; dramatics, 3; piano, 13; orchestra, 1; adult vocal, 15; junior vocal, (part 2), 3; elocution, adult, 1; piano, (part 2), 6; string classes, 12; brass and wood-wind, 11.

A complete change has been made in adjudicators and the following well-known teachers and critics have been engaged, vocal and choral, Miss Nina Gale, of Toronto, piano, brass and woodwinds, Frank Velsman, Toronto, string and orchestra, Harry Adaskin, elocution and school reading, Mrs. Ernest Thomas, Toronto.

For the first time in the history of the festival, medals will not be awarded prize-winners. Instead the successful competitors will receive handsomely sealed certificates, varied according to the award. The adjudicator's report will also be given each contestant. The committee is understood to have made this change by way of economy.

Echo of the war is seen in the footnote inserted advising candidates to order early test pieces published in England, lest they be received too late or not at all.

Newcomers to the festival this year are David Ouchterlony, music master at St. Andrew's College, Miss Norine Croxall, Uxbridge, and M. B. Chenhall, conductor of Stouffville boys' band. Dr. C. H. Boulding is president for the third successive year.

Entry blanks, and the syllabus as well as all information may be obtained from the secretary, Miss Bertha Andrews, town hall, Aurora.

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Myers of Pickering was the stand-out player on the ice on Saturday at the prep school clash between St. Andrew's and Pickering. The boy from the west is a pip, and would look mighty good on at least two junior teams we know. The two Charlies, Holmes and Rowntree, prexy and coach of the Newmarket Redmen, watched proceedings from the press-box. They'd dearly love to get Myers, and also, we suspect, Perkin and Guberman before they clash with Markham for the group, which looks like a certainty. Maxie Fullerton, former Varsity football and hockey star, and Mimico lacrosse sniper, refereed a nice game, and we'd like to see him sent here for an O. H. A. game, as he could keep up on the play, which is more than at least two officials seen

this year can do and we don't mean Ken Holmes.

Harry Pearce, speedy right-winger of the Tigers, is a ball-player we missed when we were forecasting the probable softball team some weeks ago. Harry played in the Dentonia Park league and is said to be some pumpkins in the field. Incidentally, he's done a little box-fighting too and can be depended upon to give a good account of himself on or off the ice.

"Nuggets" Shore, softball pitcher de luxe and former Aurora junior, is playing in the Nobleton blood and thunder group with Kettleby. Artie Consaul, the Barrie net-minder, is playing goal with C.P.R. in the major commercial series at Varsity arena. His attempted attack on Goal Umpire Wilf. White last Friday in the first period may be a big league tactic, but it's a brand of showmanship that has no place in junior hockey, and might well have been dealt with by Referee Wortley.

Pepper Martin, burly St. Andrew's rearguard, may yet line up with Aurora Tigers. Martin is most anxious to play, the team and coach are most willing to have him and all that remains is for college officials to pass the good word. The blond boy is really a swell body-checker and for a youngster has had considerable hockey experience, having played intermediate hockey with his native Wallaceburg.

George Goodwin, Canadian badminton champion, certainly put on a wonderful game on Tuesday night before a large crowd of bird and racquet followers in Mechanics' hall. His play was a revelation to small town players, and it is nights like this one that really bring results in all branches of sport. Goodwin is a young man who is definitely at the top of his game, among top stars, several of whom are seeing a decline in their play. Badminton is one game where in the end youth will be served.

Hockey Dates to Remember
Feb. 2—Kingsway at Aurora
5—Aurora at Kingsway
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16—Barrie at Aurora

**FESTIVAL ENGAGES
NEW ADJUDICATORS**

The fifth annual syllabus of the York musical festival has just been published. The festival takes place the week of May 13, in the Aurora United church.

There are 121 classes this year, divided as follows: adult choral, 4; junior vocal, 13; junior choral, 1; school choral classes, 8; ungraded school vocal classes, 7; elocution classes, 2; high school recitations, 2; public school recitations, 8; public school readings, 14; dramatics, 3; piano, 13; orchestra, 1; adult vocal, 15; junior vocal, (part 2), 3; elocution, adult, 1; piano, (part 2), 6; string classes, 12; brass and wood-wind, 11.

A complete change has been made in adjudicators and the following well-known teachers and critics have been engaged, vocal and choral, Miss Nina Gale, of Toronto, piano, brass and woodwinds, Frank Velsman, Toronto, string and orchestra, Harry Adaskin, elocution and school reading, Mrs. Ernest Thomas, Toronto.

For the first time in the history of the festival, medals will not be awarded prize-winners. Instead the successful competitors will receive handsomely sealed certificates, varied according to the award. The adjudicator's report will also be given each contestant. The committee is understood to have made this change by way of economy.

Echo of the war is seen in the footnote inserted advising candidates to order early test pieces published in England, lest they be received too late or not at all.

Newcomers to the festival this year are David Ouchterlony, music master at St. Andrew's College, Miss Norine Croxall, Uxbridge, and M. B. Chenhall, conductor of Stouffville boys' band. Dr. C. H. Boulding is president for the third successive year.

Entry blanks, and the syllabus as well as all information may be obtained from the secretary, Miss Bertha Andrews, town hall, Aurora.

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JAMES C. ROSS DIES, WAS 94 YEARS OLD

The death occurred in Toronto on Saturday of James C. Ross in his 95th year. Previous to last fall he had resided in Aurora for many years on Kennedy St. His wife, the former Frances Elizabeth Carley, predeceased him last year. In his earlier years he was a school teacher at Ella, in old York township, and then entered private business, coming to Aurora upon his retirement.

In politics Mr. Ross was a lifelong member of the Liberal party, and he was an attendant at Aurora Baptist church.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Charles Willis, of Aurora, a daughter, Mrs. C. Ludlow, and a son, A. Ross, both of

SNOWBALL EX-REEVE TELLS W. I. OF COUNTY COUNCIL

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Copson on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24. There was a good attendance. J. P. Jefferson, ex-reeve of King township, was the guest speaker and in a very interesting way he outlined the work of the county council.

The annual oyster supper for the community was arranged for to be held in the schoolhouse on the evening of Feb. 18.

The W.M.S. and W. A. of the Snowball United church will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7, at the home of Mrs. Clifford White.

The Y.P.S. will hold their weekly meeting on Thursday evening, Feb. 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buckle, Yonge St.

A play is being arranged for Tuesday evening, Feb. 6, by the Newmarket United Young People's Society, to be held in the United church under the auspices of the Y.P.S.

The annual Sunday-school sleighride will be held on Thursday afternoon, with supper being served in the church basement.

The many friends of Miss Bernice Copson will regret to learn of her illness. At the present time she is in York county hospital at Newmarket.

Miss Grace Appleton is convalescing after a month's illness. Her many friends hope she will soon be out again.

Miss Fish of Richmond Hill is visiting Mrs. Wm. Storey.

Mrs. Diceman, mother of Mrs. Norval Mitchell, is ill. Mrs. Mitchell is at her mother's home at Teston while her mother is undergoing an operation in a Toronto hospital.

Mr. Charles Mills and a friend, of Bradford, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills.

GLENVILLE WILL SHOW ROYAL TOUR PICTURES AT Y. P. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Woodrow of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gartshore and family of Sharon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Deavitt.

Rev. W. J. Burton has secured pictures of the royal tour and is presenting them at the Y.P.S. on Monday, Feb. 5.

Miss Laurene Keffer spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keffer.

Mrs. E. Deavitt and Norman of Ravenshoe spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe.

A large number of skiers from Toronto and Newmarket enjoyed the lovely weather over the weekend skiing on the Glenville hills.

Mrs. Lindsay of Winnipeg, formerly of Glenville, is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Helpmate:
He—I don't see why this tandem should seem so hard to pedal.
She—Well, the only thing I don't like, dear, is the way these foot rests keep moving up and down.

Virginia

Miss Helen Evans of Toronto spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Evans.

Mrs. Frank Bowdway motored to Toronto last Wednesday to see her brother, who is in training, his battalion being moved to eastern Canada that day.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Carpenter on the birth of a baby girl.

Messrs. James Rae, George Cronsberry and Frank Bowdway were in Toronto one day last week.

A number from here attended the hockey match in Sutton arena last Friday evening between Lakefield and Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Hadden attended the play, "Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Creek," in Beaverton hall last Friday evening, which was presented by the Hartley dramatic club.

Some from here attended the Red Cross dance in Pefferlaw hall last Wednesday evening.

Miss Viola Laviolette, Toronto, visited her mother last weekend.

Mrs. N. Nolan visited Mrs. Edward Arnold one day last week.

ELMHURST BEACH WILL HOLD COOKING DEMONSTRATION FEB. 7

The Elmhurst Beach Women's Institute are holding a cooking school in the Belhaven hall on the evening of Feb. 7. A stove company is giving a demonstration and entertainment.

There will also be a lucky draw. Admission free.

The Elmhurst Beach Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Abe Sedore on Feb. 14. The roll call will be answered by "Give one traffic law." The topic, "Legislation," will be given by Mrs. C. Hodgins, and a paper on "Agriculture" by Mrs. Walter Rose.

The refreshment committee is Mrs. C. Cameron, Mrs. W. Miller and Mrs. Hodgins.

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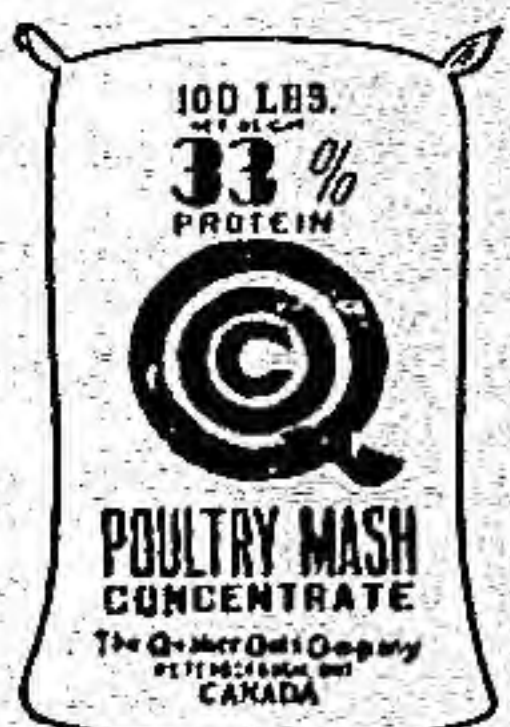
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By RALPH M.
ADAMS

Once again the hockey leagues
have yours truly on the run this
season with the local Reds in the
junior group and the town
hockey in full swing.

The Beaverton tangle last
Thursday certainly brought the
Reds up on the bit, I hope, for
tonite's struggle with the Mark-
ham outfit when they turned the
heat on in the goal-scoring
column.

Luck with his three goals and
an assist was the outstanding
forward on the ice and shows a
much improved team spirit with
his unselfish passing around the
net.

One of the most improved lads
on the Rowntree squad is Gunn
on the blue-line staff. At the
start of the season this boy was
the typical green kid who wanted
to play hockey. Now he is
developing into a classy rear-
guard performer as one will see
in this class of junior company.

Give this young team of Red-
men another season or two and
watch them roll.

The Beaverton gang was as
clean a team as the Reds have
tangled with all season, in fact,
I think they were the cleanest
and that, my friends, is saying
something.

In Koch, Snodden, Apps and
the first line Dane they displayed
boys who were every bit as good
as any forward on the local
squad, the Reds having no end
of trouble keeping the black-
haired Snodden off the score
sheet.

This Snodden has as nice a
poke and sweep check as yours
truly has seen in this neck of
the woods for a long time, while
Apps, altho' not the ace his
namesake is, turns in a creditable
effort at centre ice on the first
line.

Another boy who is vastly
improved on the Redmen is Jack
Gibson, who really turned in a
sweet performance against
Beaverton, perhaps because he
was in his regular position at
centre, replacing Pepper Brough-
ton, who was sick in bed.

With the game last Thursday
the local Reds are thro' with the
Beaverton clan for this season
as far as the schedule for the
group is concerned.

Tuesday nite in the Hill the
Reds were again weak when in
close and should have had
another brace of goals but the
fine work of Patton in the nets
kept the score down.

The Hillers seem to go for the
old chop, chop, and chop style of
checking. Once yours truly was
looking all over the ice to find
Duke Dennis' ankles after he
had made a sortie on the Hill
defence.

After the game all your scribe
heard was the rough stuff that
Bennett let go and we should
have had Reesor to hold down
those Newmarket roughnecks.

Well, on Reesor's record of
refing in this man's town we can
say one thing for Henry, at
least, he was impartial. As for
the holler about the Reds swing-
ing their sticks around the
Hillers' necks, some of the
Hillers should take a look at the
Newmarket clan's ankles and
shins.

I admit the Reds aren't the
cream-puffiest junior team in the
O.H.A. but I certainly can't see
the attitude of partisans of some
of the teams in this group that
no matter what my team does is
right. They're pretty biased
when they get that way and
should stay home from any sport
as exciting as hockey.

Well, folks, the Redmen take
on the group leaders in the
battle at Spillville Stadium to-
night, so come out and give the
died-in-the-wool home brews
your support.

Along the grapevine . . . I
hear that Bob Dick, high school
hockey mentor, has drafted some
of the juniors to do the refereeing
chores in the inter-team
league . . . Dillman, the Reds'
goalie, handled the whistle the
other day and let the boys run
wild until the coach reminded
him that hockey had rules the
same as the next game . . .

Rumor has it that Dilly was
thinking how long it takes to
stomp a ride to Pine Orchard
however, he will improve
himself. This lad Bul-
played on the Reds'
Hill the other nite,
is a . . . and will strength-

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PEPPER AND SALT

By Pep.

Tonight's the night that will
determine pretty well whether
the Redmen or Markham will
hold the ace card in the hockey
deck at the end of the schedule.
Markham has the edge on the
Newmarket team by virtue of a
one-sided victory early in the
season. However, improvement
in the Red machine has been
steady, the last few games. Two
easy killings over Beaverton are
evidence of that fact.

The front lines are settled with
the same side-kicks, side-kicking
in their regular turn. The
Redmen seem to gain more
confidence every time out and
absence of line-shifting is one
reason for it. Packed tiers should
greet the boys tonight and I hope
no tears are shed over the result.
At least in this part of the
circuit.

Newmarket has a winter ski
playground of an hitherto
unsuspected scope about three
miles from her western borders.
Hundreds and perhaps thousands
of hickory enthusiasts swarmed
over the Varsity and the local
ski club hills last Sunday. It's
really no infant proposition in
this year nineteen hundred and
forty.

Members of the Newmarket
club are not a little peeved over
trespassing city slickers whose
sense of direction leads them on
hills leased by fully accredited
members. The ways and means
committee are scratching their
heads over this delicate problem
of state.

The local club has already
doubled its membership number
of 1938-9 with over 60 applicants
tagged. Light snacks and
snoots are easily available in
its neck of the woods. Glenville
also has a youth hostel where
appetites are satiated (if you
don't mind the turn in topic).

For the past two years the
literary efforts of Newmarket
high school students have taken
the form of an edition of The
Era in 1938 and the Express-
Herald last year. However,
present plans of the publication
department call for a magazine
to bear the N.H.S. standard.
Budding reportorial geniuses will
miss the inspiration that only
live and up-to-the-minute print
can give.

The local collegiate was the
first school in Ontario to take
over temporary command of a
newspaper. A school in Haken-
sack, or some such place in
British Columbia beat her to a
dominion-wide honor with an
earlier tabloid effort. However,
the locals came in a good second
with a good newspaper.

HOPE

Mr. and Mrs. Staff. Byers of
Orillia visited Mr. and Mrs.
Stanley Boyd over the weekend.
Miss Amy Gibson of Newmar-
ket spent the weekend with Mr.
and Mrs. Elias Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harcourt Smith
and baby of Kingston visited Mr.
and Mrs. Stewart Pegg over the
weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, baby
Gordon, and Miss Lillian Pegg
visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Croucher, Poplar Bank, on Wed-
nesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson and
Mrs. Minnie Wilson, Pine Or-
chard, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo.
Micks on Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Micks visited her
daughter, Mrs. E. Gibson, on
Wednesday.

Floyd Breen has been helping
his brother, Ted Breen, cut wood
during the last week.

Church service will be held at
the usual hour on Sunday, 3
p.m. Everyone is welcome.

The community is sorry to
learn that Mr. and Mrs. Geo.
Micks are leaving the farm and
moving to Sharon in the near
future.

Cedar Brae

A number of the young people
of the community attended the
hockey game at Sutton arena on
Friday night and saw Sutton
hand Lakefield an 11-1 defeat.

Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Curl and
family spent Sunday visiting at
the home of Mrs. Curl's brother,
Mr. Darius Sedore.

The sympathy of the commu-
nity goes out to Mr. and Mrs.
Norman Romnes, whose baby son
died on Saturday. The funeral
was held on Monday at their
home and interment was made
in the Mennonite cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kay spent
last Thursday visiting their
daughter, Mrs. Norman Rac, of
Virginia.

Miss Zetta Mason spent the
weekend at her home here.

Mr. Richard Longhurst, who
has been in the Toronto General
hospital for some time, is able to
be home again.

Messrs. Bernard Kay and
George Rac, Jr., spent last Sun-
day afternoon in Virginia.

Pepper Broughton, who
has been under the weather for
the past week, will be in action
against Markham tonight . . .

If the Pepper rattles the twine
watch where he looks on the
rail . . . The locals, win, lose
or draw tonight, are in undisputed
possession of second place . . .

Should Markham and the locals
meet in the group finals the
games should be something to
talk about . . . So we sign off

Pine Orchard

There was a good attendance
at the girls' project club which
met at Mrs. Fred Reid's on Sat-
urday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sproston were
in the city last Thursday.

Mr. Herbert Reid of Toronto
was home for the weekend.

All hope Mrs. R. Sproston will
soon be able to be around again,
as she has been confined to her
bed for several days.

Mr. W. Fowler and Mr. W.
Shorley of Toronto visited Mr.
E. Fowler on Saturday.

The Misses M. and A. Widdi-
field, Mr. and Mrs. J. Booth and
Mr. R. Alex attended the fune-
ral of Mr. Victor Cain at Sand-
ford on Friday.

Mrs. R. Chapman spent Mon-
day at Mr. L. Harper's.

Miss Grace Lehman of New-
market was home for a few days
this week.

Mrs. M. Brillinger is still
nursing her sister-in-law at
Scarboro Bluffs.

The seniors of S. S. No. 4 en-
joyed a sleigh-ride last Thurs-
day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. West and Mrs.
M. Button of Roblin, Man., vis-
ited at the home of Mr. B. Dike
on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. VanLoven of
Newmarket spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hope.

Mr. E. Fowler and Miss Fran-
ces Fowler visited Mr. and Mrs.
Alex. Preston at Ravenshoe on
Sunday.

Mrs. M. Wilson and Mr. and
Mrs. E. Johnston and family had
dinner on Tuesday with Mr. and
Mrs. G. Micks.

Ravenshoe

By S. S. 9 PUPILS

S. S. No. 9 is sponsoring this
news column. Anyone who wants
to help get the news may do so.
The pupils want to put Raven-
shoe on the map.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Rose and
family visited Mr. and Mrs. O.
Blizzard on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Gordon
spent last Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pollard
stayed at their grandfather's on
Sunday at Belhaven.

Every Saturday night there is
skating at Elmer Hamilton's rink.

Mrs. R. Knights was feeling
better on Monday.

The visitors of Mr. and Mrs. P.
Pollock on Sunday were Mr. and
Mrs. T. Barker and Lawrence.

Mr. T. Bell of Ravenshoe has
a new hammermill for chopping.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prosser
have moved to Mr. Fred
Mahoney's. They are welcomed
back to the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mahoney
have put a telephone in.

Mr. Cliff Rea is visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Ross.

On Friday night a skating
carnival will be held at New-
market. The Y. P. S. members
are asked to remember this date.

Miss Iva Crowder spent part
of the weekend with Miss Mar-
tion Hamilton.

ZEPHYR

ZEPHYR WINS AGAIN,
DEFEATS PEPPERLAW

Another hockey game has been
played and another mark chalked
up on the right side of the hoc-
key records in Zephyr. Match-
ing strides with the Pepperlaw
squad, the boys turned in another
excellent performance to win a
4-3 verdict.

Pepperlaw opened the scoring
in the first minute of play. At
the five-minute mark, Ivan Clark
tied the score on a pass from
Cain. After ten minutes Pepper-
law scored again on a freak
goal. After 15 minutes C.
Lunney scored on a pass from
Cain. The period ended 2-all.

Half-way through the second
stanza G. Pickering scored on a
face-off in the corner with Carl
and Douglas Myers getting
assists and putting Zephyr in the
driver's seat for the rest of the
period, making the score 3-2 for
Zephyr.

At the start of the third
period Pepperlaw again evened
the score on another freak goal.
The Zephyr boys had to put on
the pressure from then on, but
it wasn't until the last minute of
play that Kenneth Pickering
sank Pepperlaw, after taking a
pass from Stan. Lunney at centre
ice and outskating them all to
the goal. The game ended
Zephyr 4, Pepperlaw 3.

It was a fast, wide-open game,
with both teams missing several
chances and both goalies making
several good saves. There were
no penalties during the entire
game.

The line-up: goal, H. Pickering;
defence, A. Cain, G. Pickering, S.
Lunney; forwards, K. Pickering,
C. Lunney, I. Clark, C. Myers,
D. Myers, N. Myers, R. Myers, I.
Tomlinson, F. Clark.

Miss Julia Madill was visiting
Mrs. Profit on Friday evening.

Miss Hornsby was at Mr.
McLeod's on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Curl is home again,
improved in health.

Miss Jessie Lockie was visiting
Mrs. Harmon on Sunday even-
ing.

Mr. H. McDougall and Mr. Lee
McLeod were dining with Mr.
and Mrs. W. Horner on Monday.
Mrs. W. Yates, Mrs. Glover of

were visiting Mrs. Jas. Galbraith
last Friday.

Miss Alma Tinny was home for
a few days.

Quite a number from here
attended the hockey matches in
Sutton.

Mrs. A. Crowle was organist
on Sunday evening, as Miss Fer-
guson is visiting at Peterboro
for a few weeks.

The congregational meeting
was quite a success. Quite a
number were present to hear the
reports and to partake of the
supper. The board met at 2.30
in the U. S. schoolroom on Mon-
day for the usual transaction of
business in connection with the
church.

ROCHE'S POINT

BRIDE-TO-BE HONORED
AT PRETTY SHOWER

Ice cutting is the order of the
day now. There is lots of snow
and good roads. Jack Frost has
done some very good work.

Mrs. L. Kelly was in Toronto
seeing Mr. Gordon Kelly, who
has been in the hospital for the
last six weeks, following a car
accident. He is getting better
slowly but surely, friends are
pleased to hear.

Miss Evelyn Crandall is in the
hospital again and will be there
for some time for treatment and
another operation.

Girl Guides meet Monday
evening in the parish hall.

The W. A. meets on the first
and third Wednesday afternoons.

A valentine tea is being given
by Mrs. Walinek at her home on
Feb. 14, for the Roche's Point
Institute. Everyone is welcome.

The Red Cross meets every
Thursday from two to five
o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

On Monday evening of last
week many friends gathered at
the parish hall and entertained
at a shower for Miss Muriel
Sherman, who was married to
Corporal Victor Brydges, B. Co.,
Tank Regt., Oshawa, last week.
Miss Sherman was seated under
a pink and white umbrella, beau-
tifully decorated with wedding
bells, hearts and streamers, which
was made by Mrs. Walinek. Two
Guides from Miss Sherman's
company then carried in a pink
and white decorated basket of
gifts.

Then Mrs. E. Bunn, W.M., pre-
sented a gift of silverware from
the Simcoe Chapter O.E.S., to which
Miss Sherman belongs.

Rev. A. J. Forte then presented
a case of beautiful flat silver-
ware, a gift from the community,
and gave a very nice address to
which the bride-to-be responded.
A pleasant evening followed,
with songs, recitations and com-

munity singing, followed by a
delicious lunch.

Miss Elsie Badland spent the
weekend with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. J. Badland.

Misses Frances and Margaret
Baines were home for the week-
end.

Friends are sorry to hear that
Mrs. Fenning is not well and
hope she will soon be out again.

Mr. Walinek is up and out
again after a very bad attack of
flu.

Mr. Frank Sherman is in bed
with an attack of pleurisy.
Friends hope he will soon be
around again.

The parish hall was crowded
to the doors on Wednesday
evening, Jan. 24, when the ladies
of the W. A. gave a supper for
the community. After the repast
a sing-song and short musical
program were given. Those
taking part were J. Baines, Percy
Diamond and Kenneth Morton.
Mrs. H. T. Babb presided at the
piano. A few words of greeting
were brought by Robert Ham-
ilton and H. T. Babb. Votes of
thanks were extended to the
president of the W. A., Mrs. J.
Badland, and to all those who
had contributed to the success of
the evening.

At the annual vestry meeting
held on Monday evening, Jan. 29,
of Christ church, presided over
by the incumbent, Rev. A. J.
Forte, excellent progress in all
departments of the church was
reported. During the year many
improvements were accomplish-
ed, and all current debts were
reported paid. The following
officers were re-elected: J.
Baines, incumbent's warden; E.
Bunn, people's warden; G. Lang-
ridge, vestry clerk; F. G. Osler
was elected lay representative to
the synod; auditors, J. B. Mac-
Kinnon and Arthur Badland;
sidesmen, A. Badland, C. Wal-
inek, A. Diamond, J. Sutcliffe, C.
Boyd, R. Tomlinson, P. Walker.
A very enjoyable social hour was
spent following the adjournment
of the business meeting.

SUTTON
RED CROSS SOCIETY
MEMBERSHIP IS 283

Latest advices from Sutton's
Red Cross branch show that the
membership has climbed to 283,
that monthly pledges are com-
ing in well and that socks made
have totalled 102 pairs, with 14
sweaters, and pyjamas, wristlets,
pneumonia jackets, hospital
gowns and scarves in a goodly
array.

Miss Lillian Holborn, the pre-
sident, assured a recent meeting
that while socks are always
acceptable, that sweaters and
scarves are an urgent need.

Sutton's Juniors, under Miss
Hawker and Miss Cockburn, in
the public school, are learning
the value of saving the scraps—
they have been piecing a fine
quilt from the odds and ends left
after the cutting out of pneu-
monia jackets, pyjamas, etc.

Mrs. G. S. Whitney's home
nursing classes are full and suc-
cessful; an entertainment com-
mittee, with Mrs. B. Seale, as
convenor, has been appointed.
Dr. Learoyd gave an illuminating
talk on teeth and nutrition in the
Simcoe theatre and when home
on leave lately, three Sutton
boys received gifts of sweaters,
socks and scarves from Red
Cross stores.



"Oh boy!
it's lots of fun
to travel by Cruiser"

When you want to treat
the Children or Mother and
Dad to a trip . . . send them
by Highway Cruiser for a
happy and carefree journey



"I'll take
good care
of them"

TICKETS AND INFORMATION AT
KING GEORGE HOTEL
PHONE 300

GRAY COACH LINES

"We didn't know whether
or not he was coming . . .



THEN he called us
LONG DISTANCE

. . . just to show he hadn't forgotten
us." And so it goes. Long Distance
is the single man's answer to many
a problem—and the married man's
shortest road home. Always at your
service wherever you may be.



H. McClelland

Manager.

**MOUNT ALBERT
LIBRARY BOARD HAS
ANNUAL MEETING**

Mr. and Mrs. MacPherson of Carleton Place have returned home after spending some time at the home of their son, Dr. G. W. E. MacPherson.

Mr. William Risebrough suffered a slight paralytic stroke last Thursday and will be confined to his bed for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith spent the weekend with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Leadbetter, Joyce and Ray spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wagg at Goodwood.

Miss Marion Ross and Mr. Kenneth Duncan of Toronto were at the home of Mrs. H. Ross on Sunday.

The public library held their annual meeting on Tuesday of last week. Everyone likes the library, yet so few take an interest in the business of keeping it going and those who do so deserve a great deal of credit for the way they manage to keep things running and keep out of debt. Their receipts come as follows: township, \$20; village, \$50; legislative grants, \$19.48; membership fees, \$24.95; donation from Women's Institute, \$10. Parties to raise money, fines, etc., amounted to a grand total of \$181.52. This money was spent as follows: rent for library room, \$50; librarian's salary, \$50; adult, juvenile books and periodicals, etc., totalling \$168.45; with a small balance of \$13.07 on hand.

The following are the board for the year: president, Mrs. K. Ross; 1st vice-pres., Miss D. Stokes; 2nd vice-pres., Miss M. Dike; sec.-treas., Mrs. Barnes; directors, Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Mrs. Geo. Price, Miss B. Harmon. Anyone can help the library by buying a ticket and becoming a member.

The annual meeting of the United church was held on Thursday evening in the basement, after having supper together. Rev. R. V. Wilson was appointed to take the chair and W. T. Lloyd to act as secretary. Very fine reports were read from all the different church organizations.

The W. M. S. reported having raised their allocation of \$300, and the W. A. raised \$202 and were able to pay \$150 of the mortgage fund. The Y. P. S. have a membership of \$50 and are doing a splendid work. The Sunday-school raised \$250. The total receipts as given in the journal of the church are \$3,461.22. The stewards appointed were Jas. Thompson, Hugh Shillinglaw, Norman Brooks and Geo. Price.

Mrs. W. H. Richards of Toronto was a visitor this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

Miss Florence Pitt of Markham

IS spending a few days at the home of her uncle, Mr. H. Leadbetter.

A highly recommended play entitled "The Last Leaf" will be presented by the Bogartown community club in the United church on Tuesday, sponsored by a group of the W. A. and to which everyone is invited. This play has been well received wherever it has been given. There will be an orchestra accompanying them, to provide music for the evening.

John Johnson, who had a very successful sale of farm stock last week, has rented his farm to Frank Kirtson and has moved to town, occupying Mrs. Shuttleworth's house on the back street.

The Senior Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, Feb. 8, at the home of Mrs. A. Parks, with Mrs. H. Broderick and Mrs. E. Watts as hostesses. This meeting will feature legislation and an exhibit of articles made of cotton string. The roll call will be "hat speeches."

The hall board is holding an old time dance in the town hall on Friday, Feb. 2, at 8.30 p.m., when Benny Leitch's orchestra will provide the music. All are asked to come and let the board know they like it.

A number of the farmers from around here attended the farmers' conference held at Barrie this week.

**QUEENSVILLE
COSTUMED SKATERS
AWARDED PRIZES**

Queensville United church held its annual congregational meeting on Tuesday evening of this week. Preceding the meeting over 75 sat down to a "pot luck" supper, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Rev. Hugh Shannon presided over the meeting and gave the statistical report, representing the present church membership at 137 members.

Wilbert Dew, the church treasurer, reported the church free of debt. The receipts totalled \$2,350.83 and the expenses \$2,327.32. Missionary gifts for 1939 were \$251. Reports from all organizations showed them in good standing. The W. A. raised close to \$300, while the Y. P. U. raised over \$200. Willard Cole was re-elected to the office of steward. Noble Wright was elected steward. A vote of appreciation to the retiring steward and church secretary-treasurer, Wilbert Dew, was given.

All are invited to Queensville United church services each Sunday at 11 a.m. This Sunday the local Y. P. U. will be in charge of the worship service.

The world day of prayer for women, for Queensville and Sharon districts, will be observed on Friday, Feb. 9, in the United

**KESWICK
LIGHTS DISCUSSED BY
KESWICK RATEPAYERS**

A large meeting of Keswick ratepayers was held in the public school on Thursday evening to discuss the question of street-lighting and costs. Councillors Harry Babb and John Smith were present.

The object of the meeting was to pass a resolution to take to the township council for their consideration.

A resolution was passed requesting the council to purchase a supply of electric bulbs and recommending a switch system to turn the lights on and off to take the place of the automatic clock and that a person be appointed to attend to the lights.

Quite a long discussion took place regarding whether the township as a whole should be assessed for the Keswick lighting. Ex-Reeve Morton called attention to the unfairness of charging other districts of the township for Keswick lighting.

A committee was finally appointed to map out a certain area to see if it would be possible to get a 60 per cent petition signed, required by statute.

Before the meeting closed, Councillor Babb requested that a resolution be sent on to the council to have a delegation wait on the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to secure a reduction in Hydro-Electric service charge for the benefit of resident and non-resident taxpayers. Councillor Babb suggested that this would be an excellent time to form what would be known as a Keswick district ratepayers' association.

The meeting adjourned to meet one month later to hear committee reports and to discuss other matters such as chemical fire system, handling of relief, Keswick sign, etc.

church at Sharon at 3 o'clock. All women are earnestly invited to attend.

The Bogartown community club will present their three-act play, "The Last Leaf," in Queensville United church on Friday evening, Feb. 9, under the joint auspices of the W. A. and the public library associations. This play comes well recommended and a good crowd is hoped for.

The Queensville Women's Institute monthly euchre will be held in the schoolhouse on Friday, Feb. 2, play to begin at 8.30 p.m. There will be good prizes.

A goodly number attended the meeting was in the charge of the culture department under Miss Grace Waite. Mrs. Williams of Aurora spoke on the history and art of Quebec. She, along with her son, displayed carvings, pictures and curios which proved very interesting and educational. Mrs. Wilcox, who accompanied Mrs. Williams, delighted the audience with a number of French-Canadian folk songs.

Miss Audrey Leitch is visiting Miss Yvonne Legg.

A good crowd attended the carnival at the local rink last Wednesday. Prizes were won by the following: best dressed lady, Marian Burkholder, Gladys Dew; best dressed gentleman, Fred Dew, Chas. Haines; comic, Dan Shannon, Helen Hill; best skating couple, Gladys Dew and Kenneth Arnold.

The Y. P. U. presbytery carnival will be on Friday night, Feb. 2, in Newmarket arena. All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rowe spent Sunday visiting in Toronto.

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Last Thursday night about 40 neighbors and friends of Vivian spent the evening at Mr. Needler's home, expressing their great regret at their departure to this district. "Their loss our gain," the proverb says.

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The monthly meeting of the Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. D. McIntyre on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at Newmarket. Scripture, Mrs. Willis; prayer, Mrs. McIntyre; topic, Abraham. Mrs. Willis; reading, "The Challenge of Christmas"; music, F. Tucker, H. Reid and G. Harper; roll call, verse of Bible containing the word "kind."

Sharon

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rogers and children spent Sunday with the former's parents near Stayner.

Mrs. Ada Soules of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Crone.

**MRS. WM. COWIE WAS
BORN NEAR SUTTON**

On Saturday evening, Jan. 20, there passed away at her home in Toronto Mrs. William Cowie, who was a much loved and well-known person in the Sutton district.

Better known as Addie Hamilton, the eldest child of Mrs. Martha Hamilton and the late John Hamilton, she was born and lived the greater part of her life on their farm near Sutton West, later marrying and making her home in Toronto.

The many friends and relatives who called there to pay their last respects to the deceased and also the beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which Mrs. Cowie was held.

The funeral service at the house was conducted by her cousin, Rev. Thos. Mitchell, who in a few remarks paid loving tribute to her exemplary life of years of patient suffering. There were also two short services on Monday evening by two lodges of which she was a devoted member.

Mrs. Cowie is survived by her husband and her mother; four sisters, Mrs. Percy Boag, Queensville, Mrs. Medford Lapp, Toronto, Mrs. George Blanchard, Newmarket, and Mrs. Russell Corner, Cannington; three brothers, Will, Alex, and Elmer, who, with two nephews, tenderly laid her to rest in Derryville cemetery.

**AURORA
HAS RESIGNED**

After 28 years of service with the same firm, first with the firm of J. Fleury and son, and then Fleury-Bissell, William Large resigned his position as chief accountant, effective as of Feb. 1.

**PLEASANTVILLE
PUPILS PLAN JUNIOR
RED CROSS PROGRAM**

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Forbes of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Forbes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toole.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr attended the Friends quarterly meeting at Norwich from Friday until Monday.

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Victoria Square

The service in the United church on Sunday afternoon was well attended. Rev. Mr. Macdonald preached another splendid sermon on Mat. 5: 41, "And whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twain," and Galatians 6: 9, "Let us not be weary in well doing." The choir sang J. Lincoln Hall's beautiful gospel song, "Behold, I stand at the door."

Sunday evening also found a splendid crowd at the Y. P. U. meeting. The Christian culture convener was in charge. Dorothy Valliere gave an excellent paper on "Our Parliament - Why? How?" It was good to have Dorothy back at the meeting once again after quite a lengthy absence from home. Other items on the program were a reading by Marian Boston and a solo by Dorothy Oliver. Announcement

CONSAL, BARRIE GOALIE

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upon to make three brilliant saves.

For Barrie, Consal and Paquette were outstanding, while Chomysn and Bowen were also very effective. The Aurora boys seemed completely below par and it would be difficult to single anyone out for mention. Cook showed up well the few minutes he was on the ice and many thought he should have had more time on the ice. Individual efforts will not win games and no one knows this better than the coach and Captain Jimmy Cummings, who were sorely disappointed.

Referee Ernie Wortley again failed to please either the coaches, players or the crowd.

Aurora: goal, McGhee; defence, Scott and Brennan; centre, Donkin; wings, Pearce and McComb; spares, Cook, Cummings, Lowe, Michanuk, Curtis and Johnston.

Barrie: goal, Consal; defence, Paquette and Lindsay; centre, Chomysn; wings, Dixon and Bowen; spares, Jennett, Goring, Reynolds, Saunders, Bird and Roach.

TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Era: The papers are full of complaints from the pulpits and from the councils showing dissatisfaction in regard to the policing of the municipalities of Ontario.

The attorney-general's department of provincial policing has no jurisdiction over the county police and the county police have no jurisdiction over the municipal township police, who are appointed in many cases through favoritism, regardless of whether they are qualified or not to be successful policemen. Therefore they are allowed to run loose, abuse the taxpayers, and do what they like without interference or supervision from the council or the provincial police. Being appointed on that basis they are not responsible to provincial or county police and it is just a case of all round "passing the buck."

What a system. How long is this state of affairs going to continue in Ontario? Is there not an overlapping in municipal policing? For example, take the case of the township of North Gwillimbury. We pay \$10,000 for police, hospitalization, etc. County police are stationed in Sutton on all to the township and all important cases receive their attention, but they have no control or say with our local police, whatsoever. Why should it be necessary to appoint a local policeman under such circumstances? Why not pay the salary of the local police to the county or province so that there could be an up-to-date police system, under their jurisdiction. Under the present system it is a waste of the taxpayers' money and for all the benefit the township gains from the local police the money may as well be thrown in the lake.

Yours very truly,
Harry T. Babb

BELHAVEN

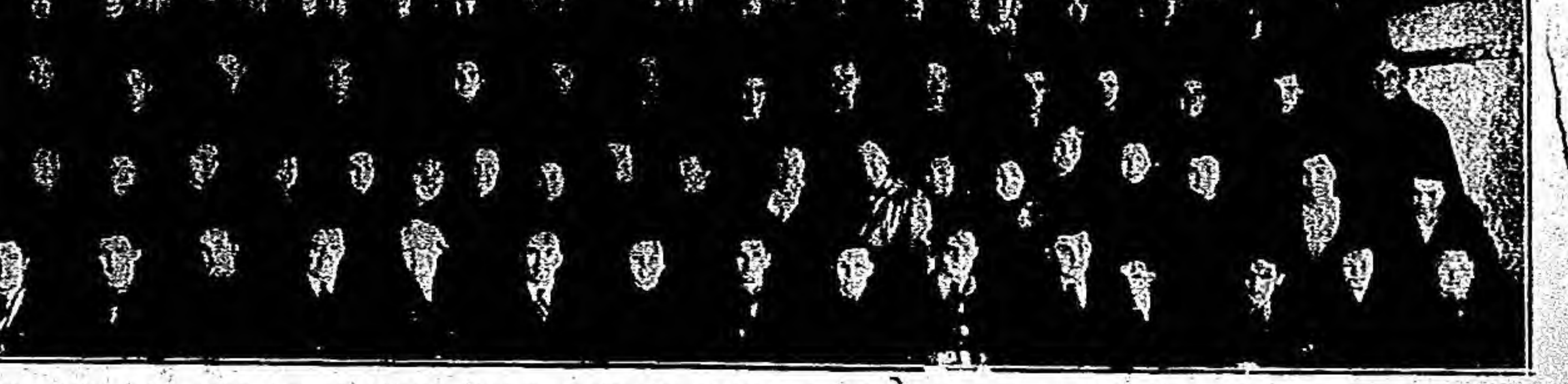
Belhaven Sunday-school is still on the map. They hope to have a special speaker on temperance next Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. M. D. Horner is improving and has been able to be up considerably of late. Mr. and Mrs. Horner had their 37th wedding anniversary on Jan. 18.

Feb. 13 is the date of the next Women's Institute meeting. The hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. E. Yorke, Miss Iva Stiles, Mrs. B. Davidson and Mrs. Ross Stiles.

The service in the Free Methodist church last Sunday evening was conducted by the young people, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Skelding, having the preaching service at 11 a.m. The Sunday-school opens at 10 a.m.

SCHOMBERG SHORT COURSE CLASSES



The classes in agriculture and home economics, conducted by the York county branch of the Ontario department of agriculture at Schomberg during the month of January, concluded their four weeks of study with a banquet on Friday evening. W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative for York county, who was in charge of the course, announced that there was a total enrolment of 102, with 67 in the boys' class and 35 in the girls' class, and that despite cold weather the boys had an average attendance of 83 and the girls 50. This is an unusually high average for a course of this nature and was the largest in the province.

The guest speaker for the banquet was S. B. Stothers of Arthur, agricultural representative for Wellington county, and his ready Irish humor was neatly blended with his discussion of the outlook of the young people of the farm. Entertainment was furnished by Harry Henson playing the guitar and harmonica, and by Rachel Proctor giving a humorous reading.

Kenneth Leonard, vice-president of the boys' class, proposed the toast to "Our Guests," which was responded to by Mrs. E. Pearson, president of the Schomberg W. I., Kenneth Holmes, president of the agricultural society, and Reeve Thos. McMurphy of King, who, after congratulating the young folks on their splendid attendance record, presented the toastmaster, W. M. Cockburn, with a resolution from county council expressing the appreciation of that body of the work being done by the agricultural representative, not only in promoting this work among the young people but also for his untiring efforts on behalf of agriculture throughout the county.

The toast to the home economics class was proposed by Walter McLean and responded to by their president, Helen Hodgson. The vegetable class was toasted by Betty McEwen and her class members and acknowledged by Lorne Brown, the boys' president.

The staff assisting Mr. Cockburn was composed of Donald Bell, B.E.A., of Barrie, Miss J. R. McDiarmid of Almonte and Miss Helen Hulet of Norwich.

The class picture represents the average attendance and was taken the second last day of the course.

**QUEENSVILLE BOY AIDS
NORTH'S POULTRYMEN**

The highlight of a short course in agriculture at Matheson was five lectures on the subject of poultry-keeping in northern Ontario by J. K. Knights, B.S.A., a member of the Dominion experimental station staff at Kapuskasing, according to the Timmins Daily Press.

Mr. Knights was well known in the vicinity of Newmarket and Queensville before he left to attend the Ontario Agricultural College. Since his graduation in 1935, Mr. Knights has been a member of the staff of Kapuskasing experimental station.

In his opening remarks Mr. Knights said that the guess-work had been removed from the poultry industry in the north by the tremendous amount of experimental and research work which had been carefully carried on at the Dominion experimental station at Kapuskasing, since the poultry division had been established at that institution in 1921.

He stated that previous to that time there was little or no information available as to what actually constituted a workable and satisfactory type of poultry-house, for the accommodation of heavy-laying birds during the severe weather of the winter months, as existed in that large area lying north of the height of land.

Experimental data gathered during the last 20 years had proved that the climatic conditions as they existed in this particular part of the province presented no insurmountable difficulty or barrier to the obtaining of high and profitable egg production even during the coldest of weather so long as the birds were selected from high producing strains; were provided with well-constructed, though not necessarily expensive houses, which were properly operated as to sanitation, ventilation, etc., and were judiciously fed with good quality farm grains, most of which could be successfully produced in the north.

It was, of course, necessary to include in the ration certain supplementary feeds such as animal protein, mineral matter, green feed and cod liver oil.

As proof of the above observation Mr. Knights cited some of the remarkable records which had been established by the flock of Barred Plymouth Rocks kept on the farm at Kapuskasing. For example, it had been the practice to pick out the best 80 birds on the plant each spring for pedigree mating.

The average production of these 80 selected birds during their pullet year had been as high as 241 eggs each; several birds had reached a record of 300 eggs or over and one outstanding bird, namely, Old K. 53, had actually laid 961 eggs during her lifetime. This latter bird's production was, by years, as follows: pullet year, 312; second year, 208; third year, 198; fourth year, 150, and fifth year, 98.

Even as early as December this present winter the average production of the entire flock of pullets had reached 75 per cent and a year ago this week they were laying over 79 per cent.

During the five lectures at Matheson, Mr. Knights discussed in detail the various features of the poultry industry, such as housing, incubation, rearing, feeding, fattening, marketing, etc., and in addition presented the results which had been obtained from numerous experiments conducted at Kapuskasing. These included cost of operating incubators and brooder houses, cost of rearing chicks, cost of egg production, the value of lights versus meat scraps, sprouted oats versus clover leaves, snow versus water, home-grown rations versus commercial rations and the advantages of crato fattening.

The lectures were supplemented by the showing of a set of 60 slides prepared by the publicity and extension division of the Dominion department of agriculture at Ottawa.

was made of the presbytery skating carnival to be held in Newmarket on Friday, Feb. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boynton entertained the choir at their home on Thursday evening, when a good rehearsal was held, followed by a social half-hour.

The Junior Farmers and Institute will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 6. A good time is assured for all who attend.

**CONSIDER NAMING
TEMPORARY ASSISTANT**

The town council held a private committee meeting on Friday evening. Matters arising from the meeting will be presented to a meeting of the council to be held this Friday evening, in place of the regular Monday meeting usually held in each month.

The change in the date is being made to meet the wishes of Mayor J. M. Walton, who will be away on Monday. Among the matters believed to have been dealt with are the budgets of each department, the question of tax collections, the relief system, and contemplated changes in the electric lighting system.

With Clerk C. E. Willis confined to his home through illness and likely to be away from the office for a further period of time, it is thought a temporary appointment will be made by council to aid the assistant clerk, M. L. Andrews. While three or four names have been mentioned as possible appointees, The Era has not been able to learn that any one person has been decided upon by council, if such an appointment is to be made.

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**SHEARD'S AND GROVES'
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In the public school league games played at the arena on Saturday morning, Johnson Sheard's team defeated Murray Jolley's in the first game by a score of 2-1.

Sheard's team: Johnson Sheard, capt., Bill Hopper, Bob Dennis, Peterlev Rowntree, Tom Dales, Ken McCannan, Grant Blight, George Chantler, Bob Osborne, Ronald Beckett, Paul Garrett, Clyde Adams and William LeGresley.

Jolley's team: Murray Jolley, capt., Ken Gould, Vernon Thompson, Floyd Burling, Jack O'Halloran, Stanley Winger, Jack Spillite, Michael McCaffrey, Glen Hill, Allan Woodward, Lowell Palmer, Gordon Irwin, Bill Insley.

In the second game, Jack Groves' team defeated Bruce Bales' team by a 7-1 score. Jack Groves, Jack Tensdale and Ken Groves were the pick of Groves' team, while Bruce Bales and Clarence Thompson were the pick of Bales' team.

Bales' team: Bruce Bales, capt., Harold Smart, Claude Robinson, Clarence Thompson, Ronald Webster, Harry Hill, Ronald Ayres, Gerald Ferguson, Bill Osborne, Robert Spears, Butt Newton, Carman Shiers, Harold Simmerson.

Groves' team: Jack Groves, capt., Wallace Keneer, Jack Tensdale, Harold Tunstead, Kenneth Groves, John McTavish, George Milligan, Francis Elphinstone, Tom McHale, Ivan Burke, Gordon Pearson, Tom Banks, Blair Bender.

Standing of the teams: Sheard's team, 5 points; Jolley's team, 1 point; Groves' team, 2 points, and Bales' team, 1 point.

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